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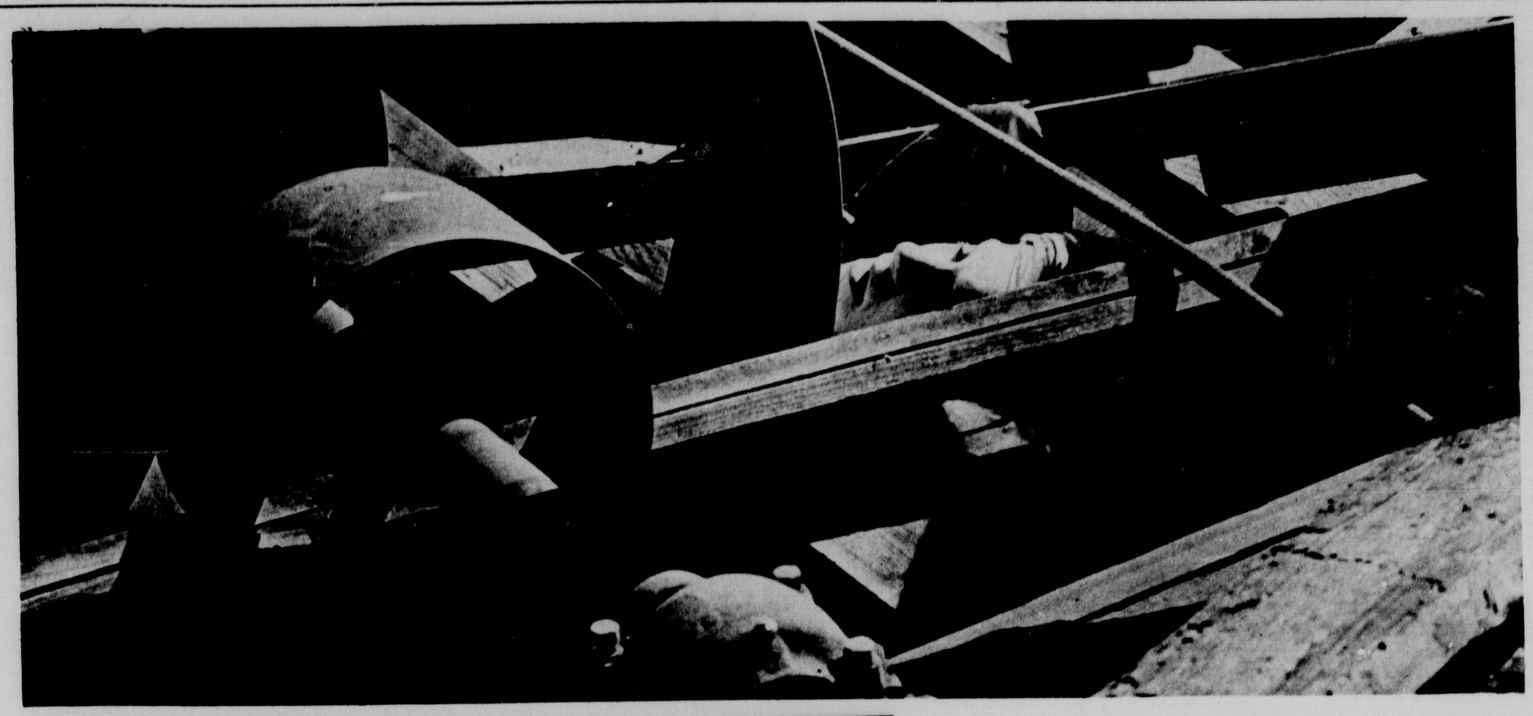

Disaster victims rescued

Mock disaster victim Phylis Eadon, (top photo) is trapped beneath a pile of old machinery at the Sikeston Cotton Gin on North Street awaiting rescue this morning while Carrie Harris (center photo) portrays an amputee at the Anchor Toy Co. building on East Malone Ave. An unidentified disaster victim (bottom photo) is placed on a stretcher at Missouri Delta Community Hospital by John Broom of Mounds, Ill., (left) and Jim Cohn, Sikeston, both hospital employes.

(Daily Standard photos by Tim Ludwig and Ron Porter)

Mock quake hits city

Earthquake hits Sikeston! Two killed, 28 injured! Building collapses on employes! Scattered injuries throughout the city!

This is the way today's headlines could have read if what happened in today's mock disaster had been the real thing.

The "earthquake" occurred at 9 a.m. with scattered injuries and incidents throughout the city. The drill was held to test the efficiency of the disaster system in Sikeston and to meet the accreditation requirements for Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Residents can calm down now if they still haven't found out why police were in intersections directing traffic, sirens were screeching and ambulances were flying toward the hospital. It was all part of a plan to make the mock disaster seem very realistic.

In fact, the drill began half an hour early to surprise even those who had been in on the planning.

The fire department received an alarm at 9 a.m. to go to Sikeston Motor Company on South Main Street. Firemen rushed to the scene only to find that it was a false alarm,... they thought but it was actually another unannounced part of the disaster. Twenty minutes after getting there, the firemen found a victim who had been crushed by debris.

The earthquake also hit the old Anchor Toy factor on East Malone Avenue, Ralph Distributing Company on West Malone and the old Sikeston Gin Co. lot between the Frisco Railroad tracks and West North Street.

At all of the locations were a total of 30 victims with various types and degrees of injuries, referees to judge the efficiency and speed of those handling the victims; and, after the call was made notifying police of the disaster, police cars, rescue units and ambulances were on the scene.

The heaviest concentration of casualities and injuries was at the Sikeston Gin Co. where 10 people were injured when what was remaining of the buildings collapsed from the vibrations of the earthquake.

Nursing students and operating room technician students, under the direction of Clare Eisenbach, served as victims. The instructors of the class served as referees.

The scene at the disaster sites was very realistic, especially at the old Sikeston Gin Co. Victims there were supposedly buried under wood, tin and other debris. The moans and screams which pierced the air were very realistic as was the make-up, which the victims had applied to their "wounds."

Wounds ranged from chest wounds to a lacerated stomach, which exposed the intestines, an injured eye, and amputated hand, and many others.

Most victims were rounded up very quickly and whisked to the hospital where Dr. Fred Thornton, chief of the disaster committee at the hospital, diagnosed the degree of the wounds. The patients were then rushed to operating rooms or to other places for treatment, depending on the degree of seriousness.

At Sikeston Gin Co., a dead victim was removed. While doing this, one of the rescurers was electrocuted when he touched a live wire that the earthquake had knocked down and declared dead by the referee, then allowed to continue with the drill.

The disaster was declared over at 10:40 a.m. by the police. At 10:30, there was a report that two victims were still missing. After another search of all areas, the victims were found and taken to the hospital. The referees declared their wounds probably fatal because of the length of time which evolved.

At the hospital, during the disaster, Pat Jones, assistant administrator, reported that everything was running smoothly.

The hospital was the busiest place during this

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April food prices dip

WASHINGTON (AP) — Wholesale prices of food and farm products declined in April for the first time in six months but the drop was more than offset by the biggest jump in industrial prices in 22 years, the government reported today.

The decrease in prices for processed foods and farm products was led by a 2.9 per cent drop in meat prices, apparently reflecting the effects of the recent nationwide consumers meat boycott and President Nixon's ceiling on meat prices.

But the prices on a broad range of industrial raw materials rose 1.4 per cent, the largest monthly increase since January 1951, said the Labor department's Bureau of Labor Statistics.

The industrial commodities index is regarded as a truer measure of inflation than food prices as it is less affected by seasonal changes.

Over-all, wholesale prices rose eight-tenths of one per cent in April, a significant jump but below the record 2.2 per cent increase in March.

Wholesale prices usually are later reflected in higher retail prices.

The increase was a little higher—one per cent—on a seasonally adjusted basis. Farm products and processed foods increased one-tenth of 1 per cent seasonally and industrial raw materials 1.3 per cent on that basis.

The President said Wednesday in tightening Phase 3 economic controls that price increases "will probably be higher than we would like for some months" but added that Americans "should be mature enough to recognize that there is no instant remedy for this problem."

The BLS said the wholesale price index rose at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 17.3 per cent over the past six months, sharpest six-month jump since the Korean War inflationary period of 1951.

"Prices in the last three months of the period rose more than in the first three months, reflecting an acceleration in prices of industrial commodities," the government said.

The April increase pushed the wholesale price index up to 130.7, meaning that it cost wholesalers on the average $30.70 more for goods worth $100 in the 1967 base period. This was 11.2 per cent above a year ago.

Among consumer finished goods—those ready for retail sale—food rose 1.4 per cent in April after seasonal adjustment, chiefly because of advances for fresh and dry fruits and vegtables, processed poultry, cereal and bakery products, and a less than seasonal decline for eggs, the report said.

Big increases in fuel prices led the jump in industrial commodities last month, with especially sharp increases for gasoline. Lumber and wood products also continued rising at a fast pace despite government controls.

In farm prices, livestock declined 5.3 per cent in April, but prices were still 37.6 per cent above a year ago; eggs moved down 5 per cent for the month but were up 66.2 per cent over the year; fruits and vegetables rose 11 per cent and were 49.7 per cent for the year.

Grains rose 3.8 per cent in April, 36.4 per cent above a year ago.

In processed foods, meats, poultry and fish averaged a 1.2 per cent drop in April but were 32 per cent above a year ago while manufactured animal feeds declined 8.6 per cent but remained 53.6 per cent higher over the previous year. Dairy products in April increased three-tenths of 1 per cent, 8.3 per cent above a year ago; cereal and bakery products were up 2 per cent for the month and 9.7 per cent for the year; sugar and confectionery rose 1 per cent and 4.8 per cent; crude vegetable oil was up 4.1 per cent and 22 per cent.

Man arrested for leaving accident scene

Lloyd Randy Tippy, 208 Harry, was arrested early this morning for leaving the scene of an accident and driving without a license after his automobile rammed into the rear of another car on North Main Street.

Police said Tippy was apparently following too closely behind an automobile driven by Joe Daniel Hockett, Route Fourt, Box 99a, and ran into the rear of the Hockett car about 1:50 a.m. at the junction of Main and North Kingshighway.

A passenger in the Tippy car, Gerald Francis, Dunn Hotel, received cuts on the head and arms and was treated at Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Tippy was arrested later at his home.

Tippy, Francis and another passenger, David Holifield, had just left a party at El Capri Motel. Police had been called to the motel at 1:30 a.m. by the desk clerk who complained about loud noises coming from the room. Police broke up the party and told everyone to go home.

Chamber program set

NEW MADRID — The program for the sixth annual Chamber of Commerce banquet to be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the high school cafeteria was announced today by president Clint Halstead.

Featured guest speaker will be Henry Maddox of Jefferson City, director of the state Division of Commerce and Industrial Development since 1965.

Maddox is well known by area business, industrial and community leaders through his close association with and work in promotion and development of Bootheel projects.

Past president F. M. Baird will make introductions and give a report of 1972-73 activities.

First vice president Bob Hedgepeth will present awards and Halstead will announce the chamber's projects for 1973-74.

The Rev. Edward E. Wolfe will offer the invocation and the Rev. S. W. Bauer the benediction.

Dinner music will be provided by Bob Donze.

Tickets are available from Joe Hunter, William Baird, Ken Cope and Bob Hedgepeth.

It's inside....

Bill C. Hanna, executive director of Sikeston Housing Authority, is elected state director of the National Association of Housing and Redevelopment Officials. Turn to...page 3.

Morehouse Post Office employes honor Edgar L. Todd for 36 years of service during "Postal People Day". Turn to...page 5.

Area high schools announce baccalaureate and commencement programs. Turn to...page 11.

...and outside

Fair and warmer tonight and Friday; low tonight 45 to 50; high Friday 70 to 75. Probabilities of measurable precipitation near zero tonight and Friday.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Warming trend continuing into Sunday and turning cooler Monday; a period of scattered showers late Sunday or Monday, high Saturday in the 70s, low 45 to 55; high Sunday 75 to 82, low 55 to 62; high Monday 65 to 74; low around 60.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 71 and 44 degrees, accompanied by a trade of Rain.

Sunset today ..... 7:48 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow...6:01 a.m.
Moonset tonight.... 9:17 p.m.
First Quarter .....May 9

PROMINENT STAR

Spica in southeast at moonset.

Jaycees to host conference

The Sikeston Jaycees will host a citizens conference on juvenile justice Monday at 7:30 p.m. at Sikeston High School, according to Joe Welborn, Bloomfield attorney and conference chairman.

The conference, titled, "Turn Around...Get Involved," is open to the public.

Principal speakers are Ronald L. Larkin of Jefferson City, assistant director of juvenile programs for the Missouri Law Enforcement Assistance Council, and John Vargas of Sedalia, director of Project Juvenile Concern of the Missouri Jaycees.

The present system of services to delinquent children and to those who may become delinquent for the want of proper resources is ineffective, uncoordinated, fragmented and costly, according to Welborn. He stated that many of Missouri's children are denied even minimal services primarily because of where they live.

The conference will examine ways of improving the system and services and informing citizens how to become involved in helping assure state leadership in combatting juvenile delinquency and youth crime. Special emphasis will be given to legislation pending in the 77th General Assembly. An open forum between the audience and the speakers will highlight the conference.

Counties comprising the region covered by the conference are Dunklin, Mississipp, New Madrid, Pemiscot, Scott and Stoddard.

The conference is sponsored by the Governor's Committee for Children and Youth in cooperation with the Missouri Law Enforcement Assistance Council's Task Force on Juvenile Delinquency. Co-sponsors include:

Extension youth programs of the University of Missouri; League of Women Voters of Missiour Association Civil Air Patrol Directors; Missouri Association of Counties; Missouri Associations of Elementary School Principals

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Teachers retire

Eight retiring teachers from the Sikeston-Morehouse system were honored Wednesday at a meeting of the Sikeston Community Teachers Association. From left, the teachers are: Harry Menken, vocational education, eight years; Annette French, Lee Hunter Elementary School, 32 years; Lucille Stubblefield, Lee Hunter school, 43 years; Thelma Reynolds, Morehouse Elementary School, 37 years; Elizabeth Daniels, Junior High, Morehouse, 48 years; Chester Masterson, counselor, 15 years. Honored, but not pictured were: Lon Stanley, Sikeston High School, seven and a half years; and Willa Alsup, Morehouse Elementary, 48 years.

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Thursday, May 3 — Annual Hermits' Get-together.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

A man makes a living out of his trade or calling and hopes for "success" later on.

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LITIGIOUS AMERICA

The great American legal explosion has the business community running for cover. Time was when the legal department was a quiet backwater in corporate hierarchies. No longer, reports Fortune magazine (April 1973): "That was before class- action suits became a kind of popular sport, before consumerism ... before Americans in general became so litigious." A Fortune poll indicated that big corporations have increased their legal outlays by 75 per cent in the past six years.

The legal boom began sometime in the early Sixties but it got a tremendous boost in 1966 when the Supreme Court liberalized the rules governing class action lawsuits. These actions may be brought by an individual or several persons in their own behalf and in behalf of "all others similarly situated." They permit hundreds, thousands or even millions of plaintiffs to combine their claims in a single action. No consumer class action has ever been fully litigated but many have been settled out of court. The largest settlement was $117 million, paid by five drug companies in 1971 to millions of consumers who alleged price- fixing in the sale of certain broad- spectrum antibiotics.

Still, consumer class actions are difficult to bring in federal courts. The damages involved must exceed $10,000, and a Supreme Court ruling in 1969 declared that consumers could not pool their claims to reach the $10,000 requirement. Consumer advocates are now pressing for a further liberalization, over the protests of an aroused business lobby. Businessmen argue that class actions encourage "ambulance chasing" -- the search for large fees by unethical attorneys -- and "strike suits," in which actions are brought in the hope of extracting large out- of - court settlements. Since the very fact of being hauled into court can harm a company's reputation, many will pay up regardless of the rights and wrongs of the case.

The last Congress considered but did not act on proposed legislation to liberalize class actions. Similar legislation will surely resurface in the current Congress. When it does, watch for a battle royal between the consumer and business lobbies. As the law now stands, the bilked consumer can take his individual complaint to court but the cost of doing so is usually more than he can hope to recover. Liberalized class actions could remove that catch 22 but it could also open a pandora's box of anti- business litigation that could ruin some firms and impose a new burden on the already overstrained federal court system.

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There's the man who wouldn't reveal his age at his birthday party but did admit living through three revivals of wide neckties.

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SCHOOL SAFETY PAYS OFF

If ever there was a dramatic example that school safety programs can save lives, the Sumner, Mississippi tornado was it. By a quirk of nature, circumstances, and timing, the tornado struck at the very moment when a tornado "drill" was being conducted at the West District Junior High and Elementary School in Sumner.

The whirlwind demolished one entire wing of the school, ripping off the roof, smashing concrete block walls to the ground and demolishing the class rooms.

But, because the students had been ordered to conduct their "drill," not one life was lost. Had they not been trained in advance, and had they not been following the safety precautions called for, "I surely wouldn't be lying here talking to you now," one injured teacher told newsmen.

The incident reminds all of us that it is smart to discover, in advance, what to do in an emergency. In case a fire should block exits or stairways from your home, for example, does everyone in the family know what other route to take to safety? Or to what part of the house to live through a Big Windy? 'Twouldn't be a bad idea to hold a "drill."

Hal Boyle

By RICHARD L. STERN
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — All you people out there with your air conditioners humming, vacuum cleaners roaring, electric can openers gnashing, broilers sizzling, toasters popping and garbage disposals grinding, don't blame me for the energy crisis. It's your fault.

I mean I'd really like to help. I'd love to be able to take some of the blame. I dream of sitting at home sizzling some sirloins amid sounds from a quadrophonic music system as the automatic icemaker quietly pop-pops cubes for my bourbon on the rocks.

But I can't possibly help you shoulder the blame. I mean, what should I expect for the $300 a month I pay for a fiveroom apartment in Manhattan? It's a darn good price in the city, right?

Should I complain because we have to turn out the lights when we use the dishwasher? We light a few candles and tell our dinner guests we're creating a little atmosphere.

Should I be annoyed on a hot, summer night when we have to go to bed when it gets dark because we blow fuses when the lights and the air-conditioner are on at the same time? Thank God for Daylight Saving Time.

I'm not complaining, you understand. There are thousands of New Yorkers in similar situations — living in pre-World War I and pre-World War II buildings that often have not been rewired since they were built.

I tell myself that it's healthy to go to bed early.

I admit I shouldn't have gotten angry and cursed at the landlord because I have to disconnect the refrigerator to use the electric boiler.

After all, the apartment is a find. A lot of people pay $300 a month for studio apartments.

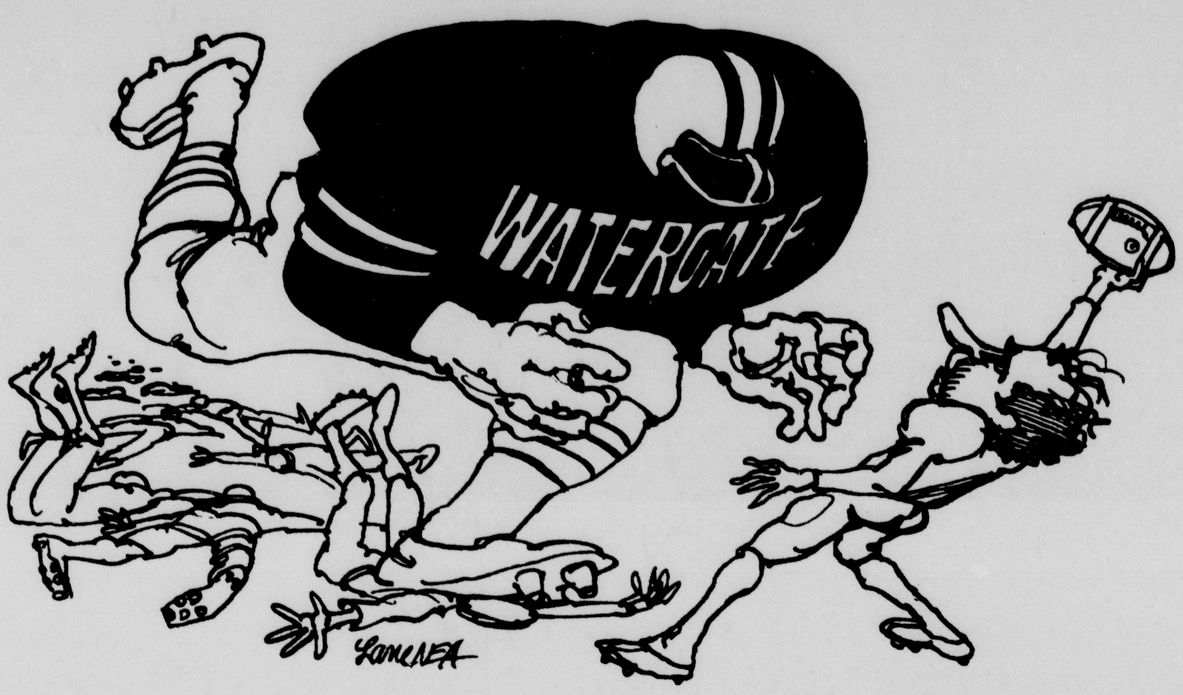
As for the gasoline crisis, don't blame me.

It costs $75 a month to garage a car in Manhattan. Who can afford a car? And as for parking on the street, if the car's not stolen or wrecked, there's a good chance the city will tow it away.

But that's another story.

—— Hal Boyle is ill.

The Quarterback



TOMORROW
MAY 4— FRIDAY

MAY FELLOWSHIP DAY. May 4. Theme: 'As hand touches hand.' Sponsor: Church Women United, 475 Riverside Dr. New York, N.Y. 10027.

PRESS AGENTS SHINING HOUR. May 4. 3:15 - 4:15 p.m. Purpose: To recognize the contribution of publicists to American life through their promotion of special events for business and industry. Sponsor: Mpton Riback Inc., Public Relations, Milton Riback, Pres., 20 E. 35th St., New York, N. Y. 10016.

RHODE ISLAND INDEPENDENCE DAY. May 4. Rhode Island. abandoned allegiance to Great Britain on this day, 1776.

SHENANDOAH APPLE BLOSSOM FESTIVAL. May 4-6. Purpose: To welcome spring, celebrate the blossoming of the apple trees and call attention to the apple industry of the area. Sponsor: Shenandoah Apple Blossom Festival, Inc., Box 699, Winchester, Va. 22601.

STUDENTS' MEMORIAL DAY. May 4. Services in memory of four students (Allison Krause, 19; Sandra Lee Scheuer, 20; Jeffrey Glenn Miller, 20; and William K. Schroeder, 19) killed by National Guards during anti-war demonstrations at Kent (Ohio) State University, on May 4, 1970, and of all other students martyred in the cause of human rights.

VALLEY OF FLOWERS FESTIVAL. May 4-6. Florissant, Mo.

WILDFLOWER TOUR. May 4-5. Purpose: A tour conducted by local botanists to identify and photograph wildflowers. Sponsor: Carter County Chamber of Commerce, James T. Pierce, Exec. Dir., Box 190, Elizabethton, Tenn. 37643.

ZUSPA: GRAPHEX 73. May 4-10. Zurich, Switzerland. International trade fair for the entire graphic trade.

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BOND PRESSURED 2 IN MERIT RACE, INQUIRY SAYS
By JACK FLACH
Globe-Democrat
Political Editor

JEFFERSON CITY — Two of the top three men who qualified by tests to become head of the state's merit system were pressured to withdraw by Gov. Christopher S. Bond so the governor could name a man who finished with a poorer score, an investigation has shown.

The governor nominated Edward E. Haynes, 48, an administrative assistant in the Department of Corrections and former head of the medium security institution at Moberly, even though Haynes finished fifth in oral and written examinations. The Globe-Democrat learned April 3.

State law requires the merit system board to submit the highest three candidates taking the tests to the governor, who is required to name one of the three.

Haynes was nominated as director of the Office of Personnel, replacing Norris F. Steenberger who retired shortly after Bond took office this year. The job pays $18,500 a year and the director is in charge of the state merit system which covers about 20,000 state employes. Haynes appointment must still be confirmed by the Senate.

In order to make Haynes eligible, the governor wrote letters to the man who finished first, Edward Godar, and the one who finished third, Brett Schneider, suggesting they waive their right to the job, it was said.

Godar has been assistant personnel director of the division — the No. 2 job — since 1947, and finished with a score of 100.9, a very high grade, according to a board member. Schneider, a senior personnel technician in the division, finished with a grade of 87.8, third best.

Haynes finished fifth in the competitive examinations with a score of 86.4. He became eligible only after Goddar and Schneider waived their rights to the job. Godar, who had the best score, refused Tuesday to discuss Bond's letter, and Schneider was unavailable for comment.

However, sources in the merit system office said it was common knowledge that neither man "wanted to buck the governor" and the request was the same as a demand "only in nicer terms," as one put it.

Harold F. Cox, a Columbia banker, who heads the three - member board over the merit system which conducted the tests, said the procedure "was a little bit disturbing." But he said Haynes became the No. 3 man, eligible after the other two waived their rights to the job.

He said he was "in the dark" about the correspondence between the governor and Godar and Schneider.

Robert James, assistant to Bond, said the governor had known Haynes for some time and believed he was the man for the job because "he had been a user of the merit system" from his days as head of the Moberly corrections institution.

"We felt there was some need for a director who was not so close to the system. With Godar as Haynes' assistant, we have a strong outside man and a strong inside man," James said.

St. Louis Globe Democrat

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ALL KINDS OF SALESMEN

Some salesmen are like wheelbarrows - no good unless pushed.

Some are like canoes - they need to be paddled.

Some are like kites- if you don't keep a string on them they will blow away.

Some are like footballs - you can't tell which way they are going to bounce next.

Some are like balloons - full of wind and like to blow up unless handled carefully.

Some are like trailers - no good unless pulled.

Some are regular guys, do their work well, and are very cooperative.

WHICH ONE ARE YOU?

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RIDE ON AIR

A prototype vehicle for moving people is to be tested at the Federal Department of Transportation's testing ground in Pueblo, Colo. The vehicle will run on a cushion of air above concrete tracks and will be equipped with linear-induction non-polluting motors. It will accommodate 60 passengers.

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AFTER THIRTY YEARS

Back in 1940, Congress promulgated a broad statement of national transportation policy. The purpose of this congressional policy declaration was to recognize that the railroad industry "... was sorely beset by both regulated and unregulated competitors." The quotation is from the Report of America's Sound Transportation Review Organization (ASTRO). In 1958, Congress redefined transport policy with a directive to the Interstate Commerce Commisssion stating that rates "shall not be held up to a particular level to protect the traffic of any other mode of transportation ..."

As the ASTRO Report makes evident, a large part of the reason for today's rail transportation crisis can be traced to failure to implement the national transportation policy recommended by Congress in 1940. The railroads continue to be treated as though trucks and airplanes had never been invented. "Thus", says the ASTRO Report, "after 30 years, a major point in transportation policy has yet to be defined." And, the loser has been the public. Moreover, the loss to date will be nothing compared to the loss in the future, unless the ASTRO Report's recommendations are acted upon without delay to correct the inequities of an unbalanced transportation system.

As one rail official observes, "For the future, the railroad industry needs the consideration of Congress with respect to the items outlined by the ASTRO Report. The Report has the support of railroad labor and adoption of the program as outlined will permit the industry-- free from age-old restraints -- to build a modern transportation network that will be of tremendous benefit for industrial America."

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FOR THE LAST TIME

Heretofore, in every major military crisis, the United States has had time to marshall its strength. Its security has rested, not so much on the foresight of its citizens, as on the accident of geography that separated it from its enemies by geographical distances and board oceans. There is little doubt that the opening of World War II found our country, for the last time, isolated by sheer distance from military conflict.

The president of North American Rockwell Corporation, Mr. Robert Anderson, is one of those who views with forboding the current unwarranted denunciation of the U. S. defense industry. He says it is undermining public confidence in the integrity of defense procedurement and is resulting in a "gradual erosion", a weakening of this nation's defense posture. He added that an additional danger resulting from these attacks "is the destruction of morale of the dedicated men and women who are part of the defense establishment -- whether in government or industry."

Today, spending for defense represents an estimated 36 per cent of the federal budget - in contrast with 61 per cent in 1952. As Mr. Anderson points out, "... in those declining percentages there is a hidden fact that could spell acute danger for this nation. This country is in second place behind the Soviet Union in the development of new weapon systems." Moreover, the notion that defense contractors are dependent upon defense work and make fat profits is simply not supported by fact.

Concludes Mr. Anderson, "America's defense shield must not be shaped by harangue and denunciation and newspaper headlines. It must continue to be forged in the councils of the Presidency, within the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and in the Congress of the United States."

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GASTRIC ADJUSTMENT

Two cannibals were chatting over lunch. One said, "You know, I just can't stand my mother-in-law."

"Forget about her," the other replied, "just eat the noodles!"

H.L. Hunt

ENERGY COMES FROM PEOPLE, PROFIT

Energy has two importantly different meanings. Most important is the energy of individual human beings. It is the energy of a few creative individuals which has resulted in discovery and utilization of other energy for the benefit of all humanity.

At first the non- human energy was animal power, wind power, water power and the simple mechanical power of the lever, the pulley, etc. For at least 7,000 years, human beings slowly built cities and civilizations in which almost everybody periodically starved or died from disease after a short and brutal life. The rulers, too, lived with vermin, disease and discomfort.

Mankind had not discovered the profit- motive system in those days so most of the energy used had to come from people's muscles, not from their creative brains . It was not until the profit- motive system began to be utilized that a few individuals discovered how to make the most of the energies available in coal, then in petroleum and other hydrocarbons, and then in nuclear power.

It was the freedom to utilize the benefits of the profit motive which resulted in plenty and health for most instead of starvation and disease. Keeping this freedom is the overriding issue of our day. It is our Republic which preserves this freedom and prevents us from descending into another thousand years of disease and brutality like the Dark Ages from 500 A.D. to 1500 A.D. Profit is measured in money because that is the only way so far discovered to exchange produced values. Lack of profit or absence of the profit- motive system is measured in misery. For proof, simply look at the world and look at history. HLH

Inside Labor
By Victor Riesel

Whose Mafia Hand?

Mystery Is: Who in White House Circles Manipulated FBI's High Command?

WASHINGTON--- Now it is crucial to learn who in the White House has been running the FBI since J. Edgar Hoover's death--- running it and running it down, manipulating, smearing it, using it, denigrating it in public opinion, driving out some of its key men and searching key files.

There's more than the politically juicy Watergate here. There is the Mafia. There is evidence some of it was being "protected." There is evidence that many of the 18 coordinated anti- organized crime strike forces were deliberately paralyzed.

In some ultrasonic high Justice Dept. and ex- FBI groups there is a firm belief that critical probes were deliberately and methodically put on the go- easy list.

Furthermore, why did former acting director L. Patrick Gray III send a curious memo to the Justice Dept. which indicated, in effect, that little was being obtained from a 40- day surveilance and bugging and wiretapping of alleged Mafia operations in southern California? The Justice Dept. called off the wiretapping of the Mafia operation reaching from the Chicago mob to the weak California Mafia on which "family" chief Joe Bonanno had been moving in for months.

The FBI affidavit leaked in Los Angeles last weekend is no "alleged" report. It is authentic, I'm told, by the highest Justice Dept. people. Since this is so, it is true that the mob planned to cut in on $1 billion a year in Teamsters' health and welfare funds to the tune of $70 million in commissions. Note that this is separate from the notorious Chicago- based billion- dollar Teamsters' Central States, Southeast and Southwest areas Pension Fund.

To realize the enormity of this Mafia operation, it should be reported that firms who belong to the Trucking Employers Inc., covering some 403,000 Teamsters, pay over $5 million a week in health and welfare contributions.

Another $5.3 million is paid weekly into pension funds. This is a total of some $538 million annually. And this fantastic amount of cash covers but 20 per cent of the Teamsters membership. There are billions of dollars involved here. The Chicago fund, now under heavy FBI and IRS investigation, has some $700 million on loan. Some of it has gone into the weirdest real estate operations.

Now comes the disclosure of the secret FBI wiretapping report and the Justice Dept.'s refusal to permit additional tapping of the southern California mob.

That report has the Teamsters' general president Frank Fitzsimmons allegedly making a deal with three of the California combine, sending them over to confer with multi- millionaire Allen Dorfman--- now a felon doing time in the Marion, Ill., federal penitentiary for kickbacks on pension fund loans--- and meeting twice with one Lou Rosanova.

The latter, according to the records, is a friend of Dorfman's and has been listed in the federal records as one of the top 26 men who ran the Chicago mob. Since some of the 26 are dead or in exile or in prison, Lou Rosanova is presumed to be more powerful than the records show.

It is up to Fitz to tell the country why he met with Rosanova on Feb. 9 and 12 in Palm Springs and in San Diego, respectively. Especially since he hitched a ride home from the Bob Hope golf tournament with President Nixon immediately after conferring with the Chicago underworld courier.

And then there is Allen Dorfman, whom J. Edgar Hoover had linked with organized crime. Why was anyone sent to him after he had been convicted in New York during a brilliant prosecution by Ric Ben-Veniste, chief of the Justice Dept.'s Southern District (N.Y) corruption section?

"Young" Dorfman, now 51, is Jimmy Hoffa's protege. The U.S. parole board's records show that Hoffa and Dorfman conferred not too long ago in Washington.

Dorfman is one of the wealthiest insurance brokers in America. In 1959 he had some 25 major Teamsters clients, including Hoffa's Michigan conference. He would sit in on health and welfare plan and pension board meetings. He has been Hoffa's traveling companion in Europe. And a buddy in the U.S.

Dorfman didn't do it on his personality and neatly- pressed $500 suits.

Allen got his power and Jimmy's affection from his late father, Paul "Red" Dorfman, a thick- necked slugger who ran the Chicago waste handlers' union. Incidentally, Dorfman seized the union back in the '30s from one Jack Ruby who then ran to Dallas and years later killed one Lee Harvey Oswald.

Red Dorfman was considered one of the liaisons with the Chicago mob. He was Hoffa's buddy and partner. So when Allen was moving into the insurance brokerage business, they got it for him--- the health and welfare and pension millions of the Teamsters.

What was Dorfman doing in Palm Springs just about a month before reporting to prison for manipulating Teamsters money? Money which should be reserved for old union brethren in their retirement and, therefore, should be sacred. Why did Fitz send the notorious delegations to him? Why did Fitz see Rosanova, the "West Side" Chicago enforcer? Why did Pat Gray not insist on contined wiretapping of this combine seeking to cut in on the Teamsters' health and welfare millions--- a billion, in fact?

There must be answers. Was anybody being terrorized? If so, how could it reach so high? Was anyone being simply deceived? How could anyone be so silly?

The FBI affidavit showing time, place and participants in meetings with Mafia men seeking to make millions on Teamsters' health and welfare programs is an authentic document.

Who then had the power to quash it?

Washington Merry - Go - Round
By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS:
Haldeman Pulled Hoffa Release Strings

WASHINGTON-- H.R. Haldeman, the ousted White House major domo, personally pulled the strings that opened the prison doors for ex-Teamster boss Jimmy Hoffa.

The incarcerated Hoffa had been promised he would be free by Thanksgiving 1970. This was considered so certain that his wife was permitted to telephone the happy news to him in the warden's office at Lewisburg, Pa., penitentiary."

But for a year, the Justice Department balked at recommending Hoffa's release and the parole board turned him down twice. Not until ex-White House aide Murray Chotiner complained to Haldeman was action taken.

"It appears that nothing substantive has occurred," wrote Chotiner. "It is suggested that it should not take this long to perform if there is going to be any performance."

Chotiner's note to Haldeman was dated November 3, 1971. By Christmas eve, Hoffa was out of prison. His sentence was commuted by President Nixon after hundreds of thousands of dollars had been contributed to the Nixon campaign and after Hoffa pledged to "deliver" the Teamsters Union into the Republican fold in 1972.

Campaign Cash

One source close to the Teamsters claimed the union had raised more than $750,000 for Nixon, most of it in cash, during the 1968 and 1972 campaigns. Much of the money came from Las Vegas gambling lords whose casinos were financed by the Teamsters' pension fund, swore our source.

Another source close to the President told us the amount was smaller. But all sources agreed that a huge cash collection was turned over to former Attorney General John Mitchell, in behalf of the Teamsters, by crime-connected Allen Dorfman.

Mitchell flatly denied receiving any Teamsters contribution. "I was in the business of expending money, not receiving it," he told us.

Dorfman has been linked by the New York Times to Mafia mobsters who allegedly have been trying to cut themselves into a Teamsters' medical program on the West Coast. The Times quoted from an FBI affidavit, which claimed Dorfman put Hoffa's successor as Teamsters president, Frank Fitzsimmons, together with the Mafia mobsters in California last February.

Flew With Nixon

After his meetings with the mobsters, Fitzsimmons flew back to Washington with President Nixon on the presidential plane. Dorfman, meanwhile, began serving a prison term for pension fund fraud and jury tampering.

We have spent several weeks piecing together the story of Hoffa's release. Fitzsimmons made several approaches to Mitchell, beginning in mid-1969, to secure a parole for Hoffa. A promise of parole by Thanksgiving 1970, however, fell through.

A confidential file shows that Hoffa's son, James, made a new approach in early 1971 to Murray Chotiner who was identified by the code name, Mr. Pajamas." Contrary to published reports, Chotiner received no contributions or fees but assisted Hoffa for political reasons. On April 11, a Hoffa family friend, Charles O'Brien, spoke to Hoffa by telephone. A Teamsters associate, who also got on the phone, reported in a confidential memo:

"I told him that I passed on all information concerning himself to Mr. Pajamas who was putting same in the proper place so that the decision makers could make evaluations...(Hoffa) then told me that if he were out, not only could he deliver the Teamsters Union for the Republican party in 1972 but that he could also deliver many construction trade unions as well. He told me that Mr. Fitzsimmons could not deliver anything without him."

Hoffa In Hair

The contact man in the Justice Department, thereafter, was Will Wilson, then chief of the Criminal Division. He told Chotiner on August 10 that both the President and Mitchell wanted "to get the Hoffa matter out of their hair."

Two days later, Wilson promised that "everything either has or will be done by August 20 to assist in the release of Hoffa," but warned it was best "not to move too rapidly (to avoid) premature stories in the press."

Still nothing happened. On October 7, young Hoffa appeared in a letter to Mitchell. The letter quoted Wilson as saying that Mitchell had personally approved an "understanding that the Justice Department would make a recommendation for immediate release on parole. I specifically asked him whether my understanding was with him alone or whether it was with you and the administration. He assured me that it was with you." Chotiner subsequently sent Haldeman a chronological account of the efforts to free Hoffa, along with a note suggesting "it should not take this long to perform if there is going to be any performance."

Footnote: The confidential file indicates that Hoffa suspected Mitchell and Fitzsimmons of deliberately holding up his release. Chotiner refused to comment, saying he "does not discuss matters involving the White House."

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JEFFERSON CITY— Rep. C.F. Cline of Sikeston, 15th District Democrat, said today the Missouri Department of Conservation is accepting applications for employment as conservation agent.

Those interested must be between 22 and 35 years old, 140 pounds to 225 pounds in weight, between 5 feet 8 inches and 6 feet 4 inches tall and pass a physical examination and swimming test.

A high school diploma or certificate of equivalance is required, Cline said. Applicants must pass a written examination and accept assignment to any area in the state.

Starting salary is $6,708 per year, which will be increased to $7,044 after six months.

Those interested in more information may contact Cline at his Bloomfield office or at Sikeston Activity Center.

Body examined

Scott County coroner, Gene Nunnelee, center, examines the body of Theon W. Scheeter, 70, of 135 N. Frisco St. in Chaffee after Scheeter's body was found floating in a roadside ditch in Chaffee at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday. Death was by drowning. Assisting Nunnelee are Chaffee voluntary fireman Bill Hagan, left, and Chaffee fire chief Charlie Uhr. (Daily Standard photo by Glenn Greene)

10 accident patients treated

Ten accident patients were treated Wednesday in the emergency room of Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Candy Moore, 24, Sikeston, bruised left elbow in fall; Alisha Fairhurst, 9 months, Anniston, caught left hand in high chair, bruising index finger; Rhonda Dorris, 11, East Prairie, received multiple cuts and bruises in fall; Michael Medlock, 17, Charleston, cut right leg playing baseball; Stephanie Williams, 7, Charleston, ran into fence cutting face. Paul Romine, 5, Sikeston, bruised right arm in fall; Margaret Baker, 25, Sikeston, bitten by spider; Rodney Lesniewski, 2, Chicago, Ill., cut lip in fall; DeWayne Edwards, 15, Sikeston, fractured right middle finger playing basketball; and Sam Rucker Jr., 50, New Madrid, sprained back at work.

Burgess sentenced to 16 months in jail

BENTON— Dennis Gene Burgess of Charleston was sentenced to 16 months in the Scott County jail and fined $500 Wednesday in Magistrate Court. on charges of driving while intoxicated and driving while operator's license was revoked.

An Attorney was appointed to represent Roy Sanford and Richard Thompson of Scott City and Jackie Wayne Mayberry against charges of stealing personal property from the St. Louis Southwestern Railway Line on April 20.

Sanford is also charged with having possession of narcotics paraphernalia and breaking into the home of Henry Allen Lee on April 21 and stealing $230 and a .22-caliber, nine- shot revolver.

Bond was reduced to $500 and preliminary hearing was set on May 9 for Thomas Simmerman on charges of stealing clothes, a shotgun and other household items valued at $500 on April 16 from Phyllis Jones.

A warrant was issued for the arrest of Gerald Jerome Burnett of Sikeston who failed to appear on charges of selling an automobile without a certificate of ownership.

Preliminary hearing was set on May 29 for Lee Hamilton on charges of assaulting Doris Jean Turner on April 23.

Punishment for Gary Eugene Prindle of Oran was taken under advisement by Judge Lloyd Briggs on a driving while intoxicated charge.

Jackie Ray Lowe of Sikeston was sentenced to six months in county jail and placed on probation for one year after a guilty plea to charges of driving while operator's license was revoked.

Bond was reduced from $5,000 to $2,500 for Alvin Anthony Howell on charges of breaking into the John Snider home and stealing personal property.

Other cases before the court and fines levied included:

Ronald Dale Borders of Dexter, speeding, $10; Travis Wayne Poole of Sikeston, failure to exercise the highest degree of care in driving, warrant issued; Raymond Joshua Tomlinson Jr. of Scott City, no operator's license, taken under advisement.

William Joseph Menz of Scott City, vehicle inspection violation, $10; Pear Edward Farrow of Cape Girardeau, defective steering, $20; Bobbie Jean Howards of Charleston, improper registration, warrant issued.

Shirley Dianne Keller of Benton, failure to drive on right half of roadway, $15; Charles Wesley Massey Jr. of Sikeston, careless and imprudent driving, $25; and Mark Stephen Rhodes of Chaffee, inadequate mufflers dismissed on payment of cost.

Hanna elected state director

Billy C. Hanna, executive director of Sikeston Housing Authority, was elected a state director of the National Association of Housing and Redevelopment Officials at an April 25- 28 meeting in Springfield.

The association is comprised of public agencies, city officials, leading contractors, architectural and engineering firms and interested citizens.

Manager named for sheltered workshops

MALDEN — Mac N. Callis of Malden has been named manager of the Cotton Boll Sheltered Workshop Corp., a non- profit corporation which will operate sheltered workshops for the mentally retarded and developmentally disabled in this area.

Callis' appointment was approved Tuesday night at a meeting of the corporation's board of directors.

The new sheltered workshop manager is a technical instructor at the Tri- County Trade and Technical Center at Malden and earlier served in the same position with the Western Elecric Co.

Married, the 42- year- old Callis has two children and lives in Malden.

Callis' appointment was recommended to the board by Lloyd Spalter, chairman of a special employment screening committee.

Callis' employment was approved to begin May 15.

The board also discussed sites for two sheltered workshops in Dunklin County, one to be located at Malden and the other in Kennett. The Malden workshop will be located at the Malden Industrial Park, while the Kennett workshop will be located on the farm of Mrs. Doris Madden near Friendship. Remodeling of both buildings will be required.

5 injured in area accidents

Two area traffic accidents Wednesday and two early today resulted in injuries to five persons, the highway patrol said today.

Rose Marie Hendrix, 26, of Advance received cuts and bruises at 3:54 p.m. Wednesday when she ran her car off the road and struck a culvert on Highway 51 five miles north of Puxico.

She was taken to Lucy Lee Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

A one- car accident at 11:30 p.m. Wednesday on Highway 61 one and one-half miles south of Perryville resulted in face and knee injuries to Harold Leroy Henson, 41, of Oak Ridge.

The accident occurred when Henson's car ran through a guardrail on a bridge and landed in a creek bed 35 feet below.

Henson was treated and released from Perry County Hospital in Perryville.

Mark Nathaniel Patrick, 21, of East Prairie suffered a left shoulder injury at 1 a.m. today on Highway 77 three miles south of 34 Corners when he lost control of his car, ran off the road and overturned. He was taken to Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston.

Two persons were injured at 1:30 a.m. today on Highway 21 in Iron County seven miles south of Ironton when a pickup truck, driven north by Troy Lee Bellinger, 43, of Pilot Knob, went out of control and ran off the road.

Bellinger received cuts of the forehead and a rib injury and David Christopher Smith, 20, of Pilot Knob suffered a back cut. They were taken to St. Mary's Hospital in Ironton.

Jones truck broken into

The glove compartment of a pickup truck owned by Lewis Jones, 510 N. Kingshighway, was broken into Tuesday night or Wednesday morning, according to police.

An undetermined amount of money was taken from a billfold. The locked glove compartment appeared to have been pried open with a screw driver, police said.

Man killed

FREDERICKTOWN, Mo. (AP) — A Fredericktown man was killed near here Wednesday night when his car apparently went out of control and rolled over.

Police said a car driven by Leroy Dorsey Gifford Jr., 21, was southbound on county road 00 in St. Francois County when it left the road and overturned. Gifford was thrown from the car, which rolled over him, police said.

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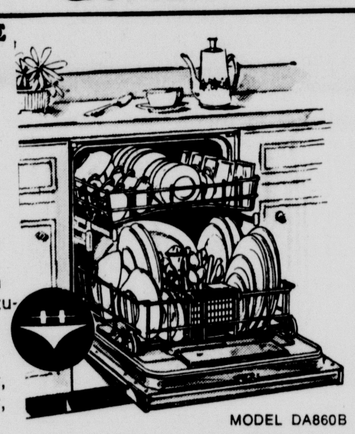
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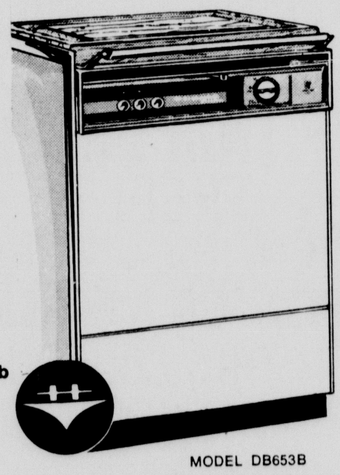
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Wives of boozers and gamblers tell how husbands ruined lives

Dear Ann Landers: I didn't agree with your statement that "some boozers go to bars not so much for the booze, but for the companionship that is missing at home." As a woman who has been married to one of the prime boozers of all time, I can tell you the truth is that these men want DRUNKEN companionship. A sober wife won't do.

Shortly after our marriage my husband began to have a drink before dinner. Then he started to have a few drinks after dinner as well. Before long he was getting a head start on the way home. A few months later he was showing up for dinner two hours late---making very little sense. When I told him I'd appreciate it if he'd come home on time so we could sit down and have a few drinks together, he called me "a good sport." But it didn't work. He'd get pie- eyed and I'd get sick to my stomach. So I quit it.

He started to go to the bars after work again and I decided to take one more shot at it. I agreed to meet him wherever he said after work and be a "companion." That lasted two weeks. I decided I didn't belong in a bar. I had a home, a family to raise, and my pride. I couldn't live like that. I took family counseling, joined Al-Anon, and this is what I learned:

You can't control a drinker by changing your lifestyle to match his. Joining him won't help him stop drinking. It will only encourage him to keep it up.

It's not your fault that he drinks. He'd like you to think it is, but don't fall for it. He didn't leave the house because you had a fight. He PICKED a fight so he'd have an excuse to leave.

If he tells you he isn't interested in sex because you're lousy in bed, don't believe it. A boozer can't perform 90 per cent of the time. It's easier to blame it on you than to admit the truth.

Don't hide the liquor. Don't pour it down the sink and beg him to quit drinking. Hand him his hat, open the door and tell him goodbye. Maybe he'll continue to drink and end up in the gutter. Or he just might hit bottom and decide to save himself. Whatever he decides, let him do it on his own. If you can't walk away from the marriage, walk away from his drinking. Make it HIS problem, not yours.--- Voice of Experience

Dear Voice: I hear you loud and clear. Your letter was twice as long as most I print in this space, but it was too good to cut and I am using every word.

Dear Ann Landers: My husband hasn't worked for over a year. He has gambled away our joint savings account and cashed in a life insurance policy which also went down the drain.

Here's the question: I read somewhere that a wife's earnings are her own. My husband says that when our income tax refund comes (about $400) I owe him half. I told him the entire amount belongs to me since he did not work this past year. He says he is entitled to half because I used him as a deduction by filing a joint return.

Do I owe him the money?---His, Ours Or Mine

Dear H.O. Or M.: In a state that has community property laws, your husband may well be entitled to half. If there are not community property laws the money might belong to you. Ask a lawyer.

Ann Landers discusses teen-age drinking--- its myths, its realities. Learn the facts by reading, "Booze And You---For Teenagers Only." Send 35c in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped, envelope to this newspaper with your request.

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Fashion information given area homemakers

Velda Rankin, professor of clothing and textiles, University of Missouri - Columbia, and Mrs. Jean Peters of Sikeston provided educational information and entertainment about fashion for approximately 100 homemakers from Scott, Stoddard and Mississippi counties Friday afternoon at Sikeston Activity Center.

Mrs. Rankin, by way of slides, took the group on animaginary tour to Rome, Paris, London and New York for a brief view of the works of some of the outstanding fashion designers.

In her presentation she discussed designers trademarks and ways fashion conscious homemakers could identify these works.

Mrs. Peters and Mrs. Alberta Ingram, co-ordinated the fashion show which illustrated the current lines of fashion fitting today's busy homemakers, career women and mothers.

Homemakers from Scott, Stoddard and Mississippi counties presented 50 different ensembles of street dresses, lounging wear, sports garments and evening dresses.

Stoddard County homemakers modeling in the fashion show were: Mrs. Larry Yeakey of Bloomfield; Mrs. Harold Lumsden, Mrs. Wilber Wheeler and Mrs. Paul Schuerenburg of Essex; Mrs. Henry Cox of Dexter; Mrs. Jesse Deardorff of Dudley; Mrs. Louise Wiley of Bell City; and Mrs. Larry Riley of Bernie.

Scott County models included: Mrs. John Ashcraft of Scott City; Mrs. Ann Scherer and Mrs. Lillian Westrich of Benton; Mrs. Patricia Moore and Mrs. Colie Taylor of Oran; Mrs. Gertrude LeGrand of Illmo; Mrs. Delane Streeter of Painton; and Mrs. Paulette Hamm of Benton.

Mississippi County models were:

Mrs. David Barnett, Mrs. Bob Stallings, Mrs. Jackie Whiteside, Mrs. Norbert Rolwing and Mrs. Cynthia Bledsoe, all of Charleston.

The program was planned and co-ordinated through the University of Missouri Extension Division. The Area Clothing and Textiles Advisory Committee initiated the idea and was assisted by Jewel Grady, area clothing and textiles specialist.

Members of the advisory committee are Mrs. Paul Trout of Advance; Mrs. Larry Leakey of Bloomfield, Mrs. James Beach of Sikeston, Mrs. Margaret Heuring of Chaffee and Mrs. Lindell Robertson and Mrs. Norbert Rolwing of Charleston.

Murray festival June 23-24

MURRAY, Ky. — Attention all artists and craftsmen! The Murray Art Guild is sponsoring the fourth annual open invitational arts and crafts festival on June 23 and 24. The show will be held in the environmental education center at Land Between the Lakes, Tennessee Valley authority,'s large outdoor recreation and environmental education center located between Kentucky Lake and Lake Barkley in western Kentucky and Tennessee.

Paintings, sculpture, ceramics, wood carvings, needlepoint, candles and leather work are typical of the art which has been displayed in the past. All original work including photography will be accepted. Individuals or guilds are welcome to set up their exhibits on a first- come -first- served basis and will be responsible for any equipment, such as tables and easels which they may need. There will be a $5 registration fee for all entrants.

The festival, which will be held near center station, will be open to the public at no charge from 9 a.m. to dusk. Picnic areas are provided within the Environmental Education Center for visitors and camping sites are located nearby. Light refreshments will be sold by the Murray Art Guild.

Anyone interested in further information concerning the festival or in obtaining entry forms should contact Mrs. Larry (Susanne) Doyle, 103 South 14th St., Murray, Ky., 42071.

New Madrid County marriages number 15

NEW MADRID — Fifteen marriages were recorded in April in the office of Linus E. Young, New Madrid county recorder of deeds.

Richard Lewis Miller, 20, of Wardell Route One and Jean Ann Palmer, 18, of Hayti Route One were married March 29 in Portageville by Roger Graham, minister.

Larry Clyde Hollis, 19, of Malden Route One and Gayla Janice Kent, 18, of Risco were married April 6 in New Madrid by Leo Hedgepeth, magistrate judge.

Julian Eugene Bray Jr., 29, and Saundra Lee Niemann, 29, both of Cape Girardeau, were married April 6 in New Madrid by Leo Hedgepeth, magistrate judge.

Alan Gregory Taylor, 23, of St. Louis and Deborah Ann Hanna, 21, of Portageville were married April 8 in Portageville by the Rev. Wayne E. Stout.

Herbert Floyd Meuier, 38, of McKinney, Tex., and Helen Christine Horman, 26, of Chaffee were married April 7 in Chaffee by the Rev. Ernest Lee.

Joseph Alexander Dodds, 65, of Matthews Route One and Mary Louise Robinson, 46, of New Madrid were married April 8 in New Madrid by the Rev. Robert Burnes.

William Bradley Brune, 24, of Cape Girardeau and Mariam Kathleen Phillips, 22, of New Madrid were married April 7 in New Madrid by the Rev. S. W. Bauer.

Pete J. Graham, 60, of Fredericktown and Agnes Speakman, 51, of New Madrid were married April 11 in New Madrid by the Rev. Edward E. Wolfe.

Robert Joseph Vann, 21, and Jane Marie Ashley, 18, both of New Madrid, were married April 14 in New Madrid by the Rev. Earl G. Statler.

Marvin James Lawless, 16, of Benton and Esther Lavera Duty, 20, of New Madrid were married March 9 in Benton by the Rev. Dale Huff.

Sammy Banks, 43, of Lilbourn Route One and Lena Mae Dobbins, 34, of Howardville were married April 14 in New Madrid by the Rev. Andrew Schoffner.

David Glen Adams, 19, of Sikeston and Pamela Denise Lasters, 16, of Canalou were married April 20 in Sikeston by Elder Cecil Adams.

Levi Robert Camden, 16, of New Madrid and Mary Ann Kelly, 16, of Kansas City were married April 21 in New Madrid by the Rev. Robert Burns.

James A. Smith, 31, and Betty Williams, 23, both of Lilbourn Route Three, were married April 24 in New Madrid by Leo Hedgepeth, magistrate judge.

George Dewey West Jr., 25, and Birdie Beatrice Duff, 19, both of Howardville, were married April 20 in Howardville by the Rev. Walter Davis.

Calendar of Events

SUNDAY

The Southeast Missouri State University choir of Cape Girardeau will present a concert at 8 p.m. at First United Methodist Church.

MONDAY

Sikeston Junior High School PTA will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

MONDAY

The Candace Green Club will meet with Sikeston Order of the Eastern Star Chapter 137 for a covered dish dinner at 6:30 p.m.

TUESDAY

Chapter HB of PEO will meet at 6:15 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Lee A. Bowman, 4 Bel Air. Assistant hostesses will be Mrs. Kenneth R. Masterson and Mrs. Jane Urban.

THURSDAY

American Legion Auxiliary will meet at 6:30 p.m. at Heritage House for a potluck supper.

WEDNESDAY

The Daughters of Isabella will meet at 8 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

The pintail duck is one of the fastest flying of all waterfowl, reaching speeds of 50 to 65 miles an hour.

Risco notes

RISCO— The Kiwanis Club entertained with a basketball supper April 26 in the school cafeteria. Guests included members of the A and B basketball teams and their parents, along with Kiwanis Club members and their wives.

During the evening, Coach Stan Whitson recognized the boys, listed their accomplishments and previewed their hopes and plans for the coming year. He also encouraged Kiwanis members to recruit volunteer help to assist in maintaining interest in basketball among the fourth, fifth and sixth grade boys and suggested inter- class games among those elementary groups.

RISCO— The General Baptist church honored high school seniors of the church with a special service Sunday morning. The Rev. Vernon Self, pastor, was the speaker and Miss Lisa Pettigrew sung a solo, "Something To Live For." Youth leaders, Mrs. Nevel Ornder and Mrs. Deema Pettigrew, presented each senior with a Bible gift at the climax of the service. Honored were Pam Landers, Sharon Lovins, Brenda Sue Allen, Rick McCord, Dicky Allen, Chuck Puckett, Darrell Wilson, Pam Sapp and, in absentia, Jane Smelser.

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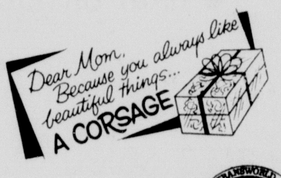

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MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
Census Report: 5-3-73

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med-Surg.	114	109	5	0
Pediatrics	29	25	0	4
Obstetrics	14	10	0	4
Intensive Care	7	4	0	3

Patients Scheduled for Admission Today: TWO

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
Released: 5-2-73
Jane M. Culbertson, Sikeston
Ira R. Hunt, Charleston
Ruby P. Trkula, Blanford, Ind.
Virley Matlock, Morley
Nola Morris, East Prairie
Martha Pruett, Sikeston
James E. Fitts, Sikeston
Jerry V. Haines, Karnak, Ill.
Maggie Penrose, Benton
Lucille P. Hall, East Prairie
Alva Gibson, New Madrid
Robert Richards, Sikeston
Randal Burns, Matthews
Mrs. Shirley Clubbs and baby girl, East Prairie
Flora Crouch, Canalou
Prentis Myres, Morehouse
Woodrow Milligan, Cave-In- Rock, Ill.
Edith Harris, New Madrid
Villa Petty, Anniston
Shirley M. Williams, Bertrand
Jeff McCoy, Sikeston
Walter Sneed, Portageville
Betty Barnes, Sikeston
Harold A. Sloas, New Madrid

Total Patients Discharged: 26
Total Patients Admitted: 23
Births: 2

EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT
Accident Patients: 10
Medical Patients: 20
Others: 9
Total Emergcy Patients: 39

DEXTER MEMORIAL
Admitted:
Sidney Lee Shelton, Perkins
George Snow, Malden
William Matney, Dexter
Katherine Foster, Bloomfield
Earnest Harris, Bell City
Wilburn Raber, Advance
Effie Wilkerson, Dexter
Effie Bonnerman
Vicky Wheeler, Malden
Released:
Beulah Gant, Dudley
Annie Jones, EssexMary Whitwell, Dexter
Archie Williams, Bloomfield
Carrie Glenn, Dexter
Carl Cooper, Bloomfield
Claudia Cooper, Bloomfield
Gary Cooper, Bloomfield
Pearl Miller, Bloomfield
Dennis Johnson, Bloomfield
Mae DeJournet, Bloomfield
Katherine Burkhart, Broseley
Charles Allstun, Dexter
Ben Grojean, Essex
William Poe, Dexter
Phyllis McCollough, Bernie

CHAFFEE GENERAL
Admitted:
Glenn McCoy, Lutesville
Peggy Corgia, Chaffee
Released:
Ella Hancock and baby, Hiram
Martha Williams, Brownwood
Eula Powell, Puxico
Harry Armes, Chaffee
Elmer Nenninger, Leopold

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL
Admitted:
Rachel Hollowell, Caruthersville
Cathy Mangrum, Caruthersville
Rosemary Stamm, Caruthersville
Bessie Johnson, Caruthersville
George Wood, Caruthersville
Mary Buchanan, Caruthersville
Cathy Batley, Caruthersville
Mae Odom, Hayti
Jennifer Howren, Hayti
Sallie Thomas, Hayti
Sylvester Robinson, Hayti
Kathryn Hendrix, Hayti
Bruce White, Lilbourn
Mae Blackburn, Steele
Francis Lack, Dexter
Released:
Eulis Davis, Caruthersville
Marvin Lee, Caruthersville
Ronnie Truss, Caruthersville
Baby girl Morrow, Caruthersville
Ollie Jones, Caruthersville
Harold McAdams, Wardell
William James, Kennett
Baby girl Whitehead, Portageville
Earline Bryant, Braggadocio
Richard Dennis, Rector, Ark.

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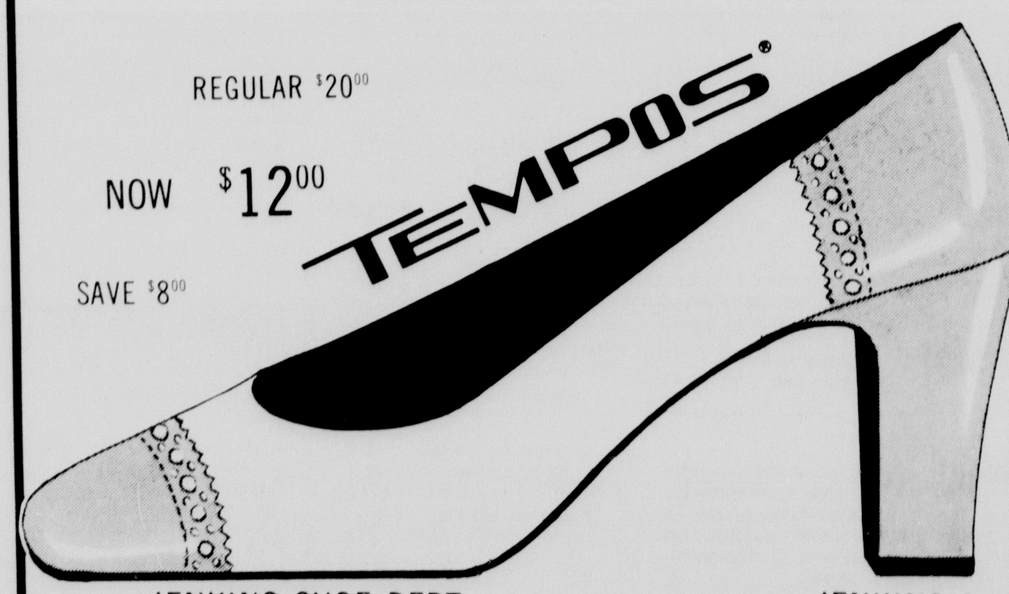

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Club honors four members

Girl of the Year Awards were presented April 24 at the 42nd annual Founders Day dinner for the four Sikeston chapters of Beta Sigma Phi. Girls of the Year winners, from left, are Judy Comer, Luanne Bixler, Lila Harwell, who presented gifts to the winners, Myrtle Nunelee and Lila Brannock. The dinner was held at the Dutch Pantry.

BIRTHS

GOSCHE — Mr. and Mrs. Don Gosche of Chaffee are parents of a daughter born Friday at 11:13 p.m. at Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau. She weighed six pounds 15½ ounces and has been named Sherri Lynn. She is the third child, second daughter.

Mrs. Gosche is the former Miss Alice Horrell, daughter of Mrs. Pauline Horrell of Oran. Gosche is employed by Wetterau Foods at Cape Girardeau and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gosche of Chaffee.

NETTELER — Mr. and Mrs. John Netteler of Sikeston Route Two are the parents of a baby girl born April 13 at 3:20 a.m. in Missouri Delta Community Hospital. She weighed six pounds 13 ounces and has been named Sara Kristine. She is the second daughter.

Mrs. Netteler is the former Ginger Chism, daughter of Harold Chism of Pekin, Ill., and Mrs. Cuma Chism of Sikeston. Netteler is the son of Sylvester Netteler of St. Louis and Mrs. Patricia Netteler of Sikeston. He is an agent for Prudential Insurance Co. in Sikeston.

Morehouse observes 'Postal People Day'

MOREHOUSE-- The Morehouse Post Office held "Postal People Day" open house Monday afternoon as part of its observance of "Postal Week". The lobby was decorated in red, white and blue streamers and a centerpiece of red, white and blue flowers was flanked on either side by an American flag.

Evelyn Taylor, officer—in— charge, opened the program with a welcome address and introduced the Rev. Elvin Leckrone, pastor of the Morehouse Church of the Nazarene and a retired postal employe since June, who offered the opening prayer. The "National Anthem" was then played by three members of the Sikeston High School freshman band.

Viva Sexton was given recognition for her years of service as part- time and substitute clerk at the Morehouse Post Office and also a part- time employee at the Sikeston Post Office. Recognition was also given to two former part- time clerks, Elizabeth Hart and Shirley Kasting, who were in charge of refreshments of cookies and punch after the program.

The highlight of the program was a retirement ceremony for Edgar L. Todd who retired March 30 after 36 years, 10 months and 14 days of service as postmaster of the Morehouse Post Office. Sikeston Assistant Postmaster Ewart Taylor presented Todd a retirement award and congratulated him on his many years of efficient and dedicated service to the post office, which has attained the highest efficiency ratings.

Todd, at one time, was awarded a letter of commendation from the St. Louis Regional Office for having the "highest efficiency rating possible." A certificate of achievement was also awarded the Morehouse Post Office during his postmastership for "significant accomplishments in the Environment Improvement Program".

Todd served in the Navy during World War II approximately 33 months, attached to the Fleet Post Office in San Francisco, Calif.

He was recalled to one year of active duty by the Navy during the Korean conflict and was attached to the Fleet Post Office at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

He is a member of the Morehouse United Methodist Church, has served as president of the official board and is a past president of the Methodist Men's Club. He and his wife, the former Mildred Tucker, a retired postal clerk for 28 years who twice served as military acting postmaster, have two children, Garry L. Todd of Lake Charles, La., and Mrs. William E. Largent of San Diego, Calif., and five grandchildren.

In closing the program, Mrs. Taylor read a message from Postmaster General E.T. Klassen about "Postal Week" being an appropriate occasion for recognition of the vital responsibilities assigned to the mail service and the challenges which must be jointly met by postal people and by the millions of citizens throughout American who depend upon the mail as an essential part of their personal and business lives.

The members of the freshman band provided music during the social hour that followed during which souvenir first day issue envelopes were given and "Postal People" commemorative stamps were sold.

BSP awards go to four

Judy Comer, Luanne Bixler, Myrtle Nunnelee and Lila Brannock were honored with Girl of the Year Awards April 24 at the 42nd annual Founders Day dinner at the Dutch Pantry for all four Sikeston chapters of Beta Sigma Phi.

Jewell Bell presided as toastmistress for the evening. Roger Tolliver sang for the group and was accompanied by Mrs. Elmer Poage.

Presenting the Girl of the Year Awards were Marian Pratt, Bea Stauffer and Erma Braswell.

Lila Harwell, city sponsor, presented several gifts.

Little Miss Bloomfield crowned

BLOOMFIELD — Tracey Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Wilson, was crowned 1973 Little Miss Bloomfield at Saturday's annual pageant sponsored by the Junior Federated Club.

Lisa Williams was chosen first attendant and Tracy Brooks second attendant.

Music was provided by a chorus of third graders directed by Joanne Dale and a medley by Regina Chappell and Randal Hutchinson.

The retiring Little Miss Bloomfield was Kelly Brooks.

Dexter Calendar

DEXTER — The annual junior- senior prom and banquet will be held Saturday at 7:30 p.m.

DEXTER — Church Women United will celebrate May Fellowship Day Friday at Second General Baptist Church.

Registration and social hour will begin at 9:30 a.m. in the dining hall, and the program will begin at 10 a.m.

The theme will be "As Hand Touches Hand". Donations from the meeting will be used to help the poor in the Bootheel.

Mrs. Myrtle Edwards, Rural Missouri, Inc. nurse, will explain the needs and condition of the poor in this area.

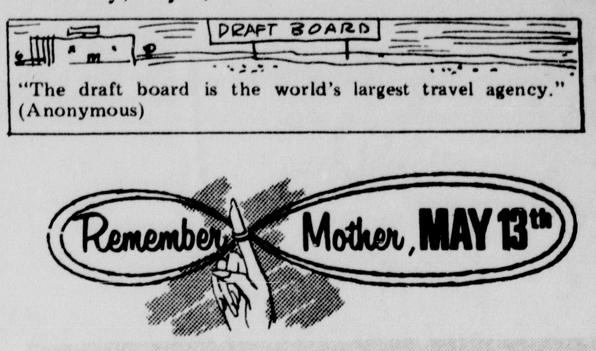
Dexter Church Women United have sent hundreds of pounds of material to the needy.

Anyone who has extra clothing, quilts or baby layettes is asked to bring them to the meeting. Mrs. Edwards will distribute them among the poor.

Examples of health, sewing and school kits will be displayed.

Baby sitters will be provided.

Mrs. Charles Acord will be the leader.



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Bloomfield Calendar

BLOOMFIELD — A spring band concert directed by George Bates will be held tonight at 7 in the school gym.

BLOOMFIELD — The junior- senior prom and banquet will be held Saturday with the banquet beginning at 7 p.m. and the prom at 8.

BIRTHS

HEATH — Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Heath of Cape Girardeau are parents of a son born April 29 at 8:25 p.m. at Southeast Missouri Hospital. The child has been named Charles Christopher.

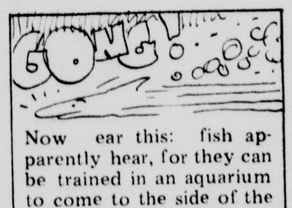
Mrs. Heath is the former Emma Jane Proffer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Proffer of Sikeston. Heath is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heath of Fenton, formerly of Sikeston.

KIRTLEY — Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kirtley of Bell City are parents of their first child, a daughter born April 13 at 9:47 p.m. at Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston. She weighed eight pounds 15 ounces and has been named Angela Dawn.

Mrs. Kirtley is the former Vickie Boley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Boley of Bell City. Kirtley is the son of Mrs. Fern Johnson and the late Carl Kirtley.

GROJEAN — Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Grojean of Chaffee are parents of their first child, a son, born Saturday at 4:13 a.m. at Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau. He weighed five pounds 13 ounces and has been named Robert Joseph II.

Mrs. Grojean is the daughter of Mrs. Leota Rievley of Illiopolis, Ill., and Grojean is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Grojean of Chaffee. He is employed by Todt Sheet Metal Co. in Cape Girardeau.



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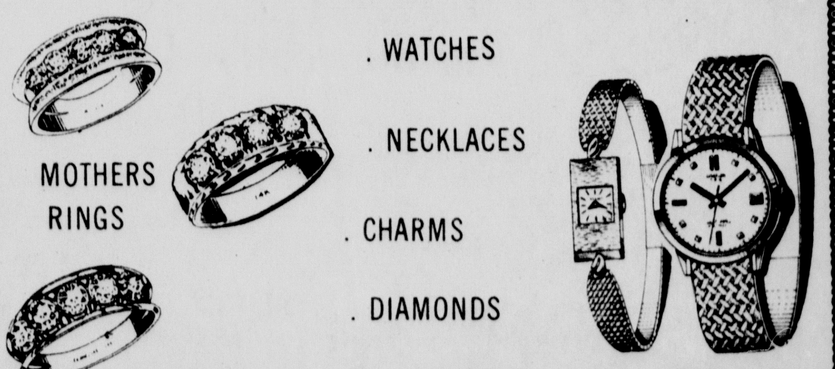

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County recorder lists 38 deed transactions

BENTON — Thirty- eight deed transactions were recorded in the office of John Bollinger, Scott County recorder of deeds, for the week ending April 20.

Kathryn A. and Vernon O. Ayers deeded to Oran E. and Peggy Ann Mogan, by warranty deed, lots 19 and 20 in block 10 in McCord's Subdivision of Sikeston.

Clarence and Mary B. Cantrell deeded to Nadine Battin, by warranty deed, lot 7 in Cantrell Subdivision.

Lesla and Clarence Cook deeded to Leola and Clarence Cook, by warranty deed, lot 16 in block 3 of Sunset Third Addition in Sikeston.

Dwight Crader deeded to Bob C. and Dorothy H. Nowell, by trustee's deed, lot 3 in block 15 of Clayton's Addition of Sikeston.

Jerry M. and Wilma P. Crowley deeded to Robert Allen and Amy W. McCord, by warranty deed, lot 10 in block 10 of the original town of Sikston.

Vincent L. and Mary G. Day deeded to Illinois Avenue General Baptist Church, by warranty deed, lot 5 in block 6 of McCord's Subdivision.

Albert L. and Elizabeth Dockins deeded to Dallas F. and Lucille C. Mullenix, by warranty deed, lots 10 and 11 in block 24 of McCoy and Tanner Fifth Addition of Sikeston.

Allen and Charlene Durbin deeded to Bob C. and Dorothy H. Nowell, by trustee's deed, lot 3 in block 15 in Clayton's Addition of Sikeston.

Marvin and Lois J. Eichhorn deeded to William R. and Amebia L. Simpson, by warranty deed, lot 33 in block 5 in the original town of Chaffee.

First National Bank of Sikeston deeded to Oscar V. Jr. and Kathryn A. Ayers, by partial release deed, lots 19 and 20 in block 10 in McCord Subdivision of Sikeston.

Federal Housing Authority commissioner deeded to George Woodrow Jr. and Patricia E. Bolen, by warranty deed, lots 2 and 3 in block 10 in Clayton Heights Addition of Sikeston.

Thomas R. Gilmore deeded to Kenneth D. and Lynda K.Morris, by deed of personal representative, lot 18 in block 13 in Chamber of Commerce Addition of Sikeston.

Linnie and Thomas Holmes deeded to Doyle W. and Ruthie C. Braddum, by warranty deed, lot 8 in block 2 in Annex Subdivision.

William P. and Lillie Mae Hopper deeded to Mable King, by warranty deed, lot 7 in Hopper's County Lots.

William P. and Lillie Mae Hopper deeded to Granville Deshiger, by warranty deed, lot 4 in Hopper's County Lots.

William P. and Lillie Mae Hopper deeded to Margaret Ann and Lonnie Masters, by warranty deed, lot 5 in Hopper's County Lots.

Willaim P. and Lillie Mae Hopper deeded to James Allen Hopper, by warranty deed, lot 2 in Hopper's County Lots.

William P. and Lillie Mae Hopper deeded to Merle Ray and Shirley Hopper, by warranty deed, lot 1 in Hopper's County Lots.

William P. and Lillie Mae Hopper deeded to William Hopper Jr., by warranty deed, lot 8 in Hopper's County Lots.

William P. and Lillie Mae Hopper deeded to James and Marilyn Hopper, by warranty deed, lot 6 in Hopper's County Lots.

Virgil D. and Evelyn J. Hyslip deeded to Jeff D. and Frances Fisher, by warranty deed, lots 48 in in Sikeston's East Addition of Sikeston.

Henry Kanaske deeded to Louie and Audrey Hirschowitz, by warranty deed, lot 12 in block 8 in C & A.J. Matthews Addition of Oran.

Elwood Kinder deeded to Vernon D. and Donna F. Brown, by warranty deed, lot 18 in block 5 in Chamber of Commerce Addition of Sikeston.

David and Christine Agnes Kimes deeded to Charles M. and Saundra Fordge, by warranty deed, lot 9 in block 5 in Stallings Addition of Sikeston.

Addie L. Love deeded to Kenneth D. and Lynda Morris, by deed of personal representative, lot 18 in block 13 in Chamber of Commerce Addition of Sikeston.

Addie L. Love deeded to Kenneth D. Morris, by order, lot 18 in block 13 in Chamber of Commerce Addition of Sikeston.

Ronald G. and Janet M. Mason deeded to James Herman and Modgeleene M. Wood, by warranty deed, lot 71 in Jones Subdivision of Sikeston.

William E. and Betty E. Miller deeded to Paul Copman, by warranty deed, lot 12 in block 6 in the original town of Chaffee.

William and Betty Miller deeded to William and Betty Miller, by warranty deed, lot 21 in block 6 in the original town of Chaffee.

Robert A. and Amy W. McCord deeded to H. Herb and Doris Stephens, by warranty deed, block 1 in Kindred's Subdivision of Sikeston.

Robert A. And Amy W. McCord, deeded to H. Herb and Doris V. Stephens, by warranty deed, block 1 in Kindred's Subdivision of Sikeston.

Robert and Amy McCord deeded to Albert L. and Elizabeth Dockins, by warranty deed, lots 10, 11, 12 and 13 in block 3 of Keith and McCord's Subdivision.

Robert Allen and Amy McCord deeded to Jerry M. and Wilma Crowley, by warranty deed, lots 9 and 10 in block 10 in the original town of Sikeston.

Pasco Marketing Inc. deeded to Jerry M. and Wilma P. Crowley, by warranty deed, lots 9 and 10 in block 10 in the orginial town of Sikeston.

Security Federal Savings and Loan Association deeded to William P. and Lillie Mae Hopper, by partial release deed, lots 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in Hopper's County Lots.

Secretary of Housing and Urban Development deeded to George Woodrow and Patricia Bolen, by warranty deed, lots 2 and 3 in Clayton's Heights Addition of Sikeston.

State Bank of Morehouse deeded to Charles M. and Mary Mitchell, by partial release deed, lots 2 and 3 in Lillian A. Smith Addition of Sikeston.

Ziegenhorn Insurance Agency Inc. deeded to Lewis Construction Co. Inc., by warranty deed, lot 2 in block 3 in Hunter Acres West Addition of Sikeston.

Bartlett resigns

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Daniel Bartlett Jr., U.S. attorney for the Eastern District of Missouri the last four years, announced his resignation Monday and said he will return to private law practice.

"It's just a matter of economic necessity," said Bartlett, 44, whose resignation is effective May 15.

"I took a cut in income when I was appointed. I have fulfilled my term, which I agreed to do when I was appointed in 1969," he said.

Bartlett's current salary is $36,000 a year. He intends to join with a St. Louis law firm.

Planes cause controversy

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — The state Highway Patrol may have violated state constitutional provisions in plans to buy two airplanes, according to a copyrighted story Wednesday in the Jefferson City Post Tribune.

The story said part of the $75,000 the patrol has reserved to buy the planes comes from state highway funds, which the newspaper said is prohibited by law.

Follow Through program receives recognition

HOWARDVILLE — Dr. Arthur L. Mallory, state commissioner of education, in a letter to Dr. George S. Reuter Jr., superintendent of schools of New Madrid County R-1 enlarged school district, sent his congratulations for the recent Follow Through recognition.

"We are always happy to learn that a Missouri school has received recognition for superior accomplishments, and it is particularly gratifying when one of our schools receives national recognition ... This is another reminder to us that the young people of Missouri are in good hands," Dr. Mallory stated.

The Portageville Follow Through program was the only Follow Through program in the nation to be invited to the 1973 Education Fair in Washington. The high honor to be a part of this important event was noted by Mallory. The conference for educators is sponsored by United States Office of Education's Bureau of Elementary and Secondary Education and is designed to facilitate the sharing of successful educational practices and to assist state educational agency personnel in the identification, validation and dissemination of these practices.

About 45 projects will be exhibited and demonstrated at the Shoreham Hotel in Washington, D.C., for the benefit of approximately 1,000 invited federal, regional, state and local educators.

The projects were selected for the education fair because they match several of the priorities established by the Office of Education for the year. They were chosen from among several hundred projects validated as exemplary by state officials and onsite teams.

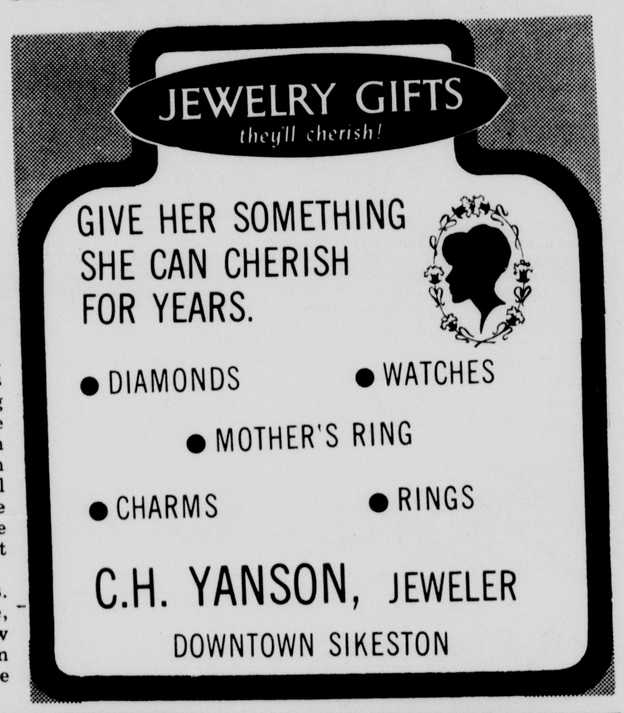
To be considered as examplary, projects must: (1) have evidence of success, (2) be reasonably priced, (3) be relatively innovative, and (4) be exportable to other schools with similar needs.

The exhibits will represent about 30 demonstration projects as well as approximately 15 exhibits representing other Office of Education programs, including the Handicapped, Equal Education Opportunity, Libraries and Learning Resources, Right- to- Read and Impacted Aid programs.

"State- of- the- Art" sessions are scheduled on May 10 to report on the research, practice and trends in nine OE priority areas.

On the final day, May 11, there will be three technical assistance workshops on promising state developments toward the producer- consumer school brokerage concept and the related identification, validation and dissemination (IVD) process. Two workshops relate to plans for conducting future education fairs and the development of a handbook on conducting state education fairs. Another workshop will highlight some of the more promising administrative reforms instituted in recent years.

Blaine E. Martin and Mrs. Clara E. Myracle, Portageville, directors of the Follow Through program, will be in Washington to represent the local program.



Calm weather will give rivers chance to recede

ST. LOUIS (AP) — A "tranquil" weather picture over the midwest through the weekend will give the flooding Mississippi, Missouri and Illinois rivers a chance to recede. But, the recession will be delayed by new crests on the upper reaches of the Mississippi, the river district office of the National Weather Service reported Wednesday night.

Heavy rains in Iowa, northern Missouri and western Illinois caused the weather service to issue new crests along the Mississippi from Winfield northward, but the added runoff was to only slow down the receding river further south at St. jlouis.

"Things should begin falling again after these new crests move through," a forecaster said.

The river at Winfield, where flood stage is 26 feet, was marked at 34.9 feet Wednesday and was expected to rise to 35 feet by Saturday. Slight increases in the river's level were also to take place at Quincy, Ill., and Louisiana and Hannibal, Mo.

The Mississippi at St. Louis registered 40.4 feet Wednesday and was to continue receding slowly, reaching 37.5 by Saturday.

"It's going to take a couple of weeks for them to fall below flood stage and that's assuming there will be no rain for a twoweek period," the forecaster said.

He added that assuming no rain for two weeks in May is "really going out on a limb."

The Corps of Engineers said it had a million sandbags available if the river situation should again become critical.

"People tend to downgrade the situation after the crest has passed," a corps spokesman said, "but the situation is still serious. We're still higher than the crest last month and we thought that was a bad flood."

The heavy rainfall also caused the Missouri River to swell and the weather service predicted crests slightly above flood stage at points between Waverly and Jefferson City, Mo., by Friday. The river would be at 30 feet Sunday at St. Charles near its mouth, five feet over flood stage.

The Missouri at St. Charles was at 29.0 feet Wednesday.

The corps has estimated that more than $150 million in damages will have been done in Missouri and Illinois because of the flooding which first began in early March. The Mississippi at St. Louis has been above the 30-foot flood stage since March 7.

Wednesday was the 53rd consecutive day the river was over flood and the corps said the 58-day record set in 1844 would probably be broken.

The American Red Cross estimated Wednesday that 8,675 persons have been directly affected by the flooding in Missouri and Illinois.

Commercial navigation the Mississippi, Missouri and Illinois rivers continued to be banned because of fear of possible wave-wash damage to flooded homes.

Some 500 commercial barges were reported moored along the Illinois side of the Mississippi north of Cairo.

A corps spokesman said barge line operators have been pressuring the corps to reopen the river to traffic, but he said it will be some time before navigation will resume on the three rivers.

Less than half of the 81 Coast Guard reservists called up at the beginning of the most recent flooding remained on duty Wednesday. The Coast Guard said the reservists were being released as the outlook brightened.

Nixon stiffens wage-price-control

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon has stiffened his wage- price- control system to require a closer government watch over price boosts by big companies. But he says consumers should expect inflation to be a problem for several months.

"We should be mature enough to recognize that there is no instant remedy for this problem," Nixon said Wednesday as he announced new steps to try to moderate surging price increases.

The President ordered large companies, those with annual sales of $250 million or more, to notify the government in advance if they intend to raise company- wide average prices by more than 1.5 per cent above the levels of Jan. 10.

The effect would be to delay such price increases by 30 days, the time it would take the Cost of Living Council to determine whether they met government standards.

It was a step back toward the Phase 2 mandatory wage-price- control system that Nixon abandoned on Jan. 11, but the administration stopped far short of reverting to that approach.

Treasury Secretary George P. Shultz said he has no idea how many of the approximately 650 companies affected by the new guideline are getting close to the 1.5-per- cent limit.

He described Nixon's move as "an insurance policy, a sort of preventive measure."

Nixon also announced that the government bureaucracy to administer and enforce Phase 3 controls will be bolstered. The Cost of Living Council will get about 100 new employes and the Internal Revenue Service about 500 more to enforce the controls.

Also, the White House said the 650 largest companies will be required to make a full and detailed report on price increases posted since Phase 3 began.

In disclosing the new steps, the President said he rejected stronger actions such as a new wage- price freeze, stiff controls or price rollbacks. Freezing prices now would cause shortages, he said. If meat prices had been forced back to January levels, as Congress debated, instead of boycotts consumers would be storming supermarkets, he said.

Noting that he has moved to increase supplies to deal with surging food prices, Nixon said tough controls would hurt consumers as well as farmers.

"The country needs more food," Nixon said, "and American farmers have never failed to deliver when the country needed them."

Park Service lists Swank House

WASHINGTON— Rep. Bill D. Burlison, Missouri 10th District Democrat, today announced that he has been informed by National Park Service that the Swank House, located west of Charleston in Mississippi County, Mo., has been included in the National Register.

The Jacob Swank House, also referred to as the "Old Brick House", was constructed in 1839. This site is unique in that it is an example of classic revival of residential architecture in brick masonery construction and is also of historical importance because the original owner and builder was one of the early settlers in the area.

Burlison explained that the National Register is the official schedule of the nation's cultural property worth preserving and serves as a protective inventory of irreplacable resources from our nation's past.

PINK FLOYD PLAY FOR BALLET

PARIS (AP) — Roland Petit's Ballets de Marseille presented four performances of "The Pink Floyd Ballet" in the Palais des Sports Feb. 3 and 4.

Unlike most rock ballets, which are performed to taped music, Petit's production featured live onstage performances by the Floyd and used many of their lighting, smoke and fireworks effects.

Songs included "Echoes," "Careful with that Axe, Eugene," "One of These Days" and "Obscured by Clouds."

Se Mo Scout Council sponsors camporee

CAPE GIRARDEAU— Eleven hundred Boy Scouts will be camping under the canvas in Southeast Missouri Friday, Saturday and Sunday according to Vic Hill, activities chairman of the Southeast Missouri Council of Boy Scouts of America.

Five locations will be used as scouts from the 14- county area participate in the spring camporee.

Camping chairmen for the five districts are Joe Schea of Perryville, Shawnee District; John Peel of Sikeston, Okeechobee District; James Stoll of Poplar Bluff, Osage District; Walter Johnson of Dexter, Sioux District; and Gene Slinkard of Senath, Seminole District.

Scouts from the Cape Girardeau area will camp on a farm near Neeleys landing. The Sikeston area group will camp on the Durward Dover farm near Oran. Dexter area scouts will use a farm near Dexter and Dunklin and Pemiscot county area scouts will use Crowley's Ridge Park. Poplar Bluff area scouts will camp west of Poplar Bluff at Beaver Lake.

This year a new program has been added to the Camporee, according to John Paul, Okeechobee camporee chief. Cub Scouts are invited to take part in a field day at this year's camporee.

For many Cub Scouts this will be the first time they have been able to take part in an organized program of events. The Webelos Cub Scouts, 10-year- olds, are also invited to camp out either Friday or Saturday evening and take part in the field day events Saturday.

The Rev. Don Bass of Sikeston is the Cub Scout Field Day chairman.

E. Prairie Scouts tour space center

EAST PRAIRIE— Thirty-two members of Boy Scout Troop 37, accompanied by their leaders and several parents, spent last weekend in Huntsville, Ala., where they toured the Alabama Space and Rocket Center, National Aeronautics and Space Administration's Marshall Space Flight Center and hiked the 11- mile Space Walk Scout Trail.

While there the group toured the world's largest space vehicle test center and viewed the stands where the Saturn V moon rocket was tested. The space simulators where Skylab astronauts train for future missions and future space vehicles under development were also part of the tour.

The scouts spent two nights in the Redstone Arsenal and completed their trip with a tour through the Monte Sano Observatory and Planetarium.

The Space Walk Scout Trail is located near Huntsville in the foothills of the Smoky Mountain range. The trail was established for the purpose of providing an awareness of the natural beauty in the area.

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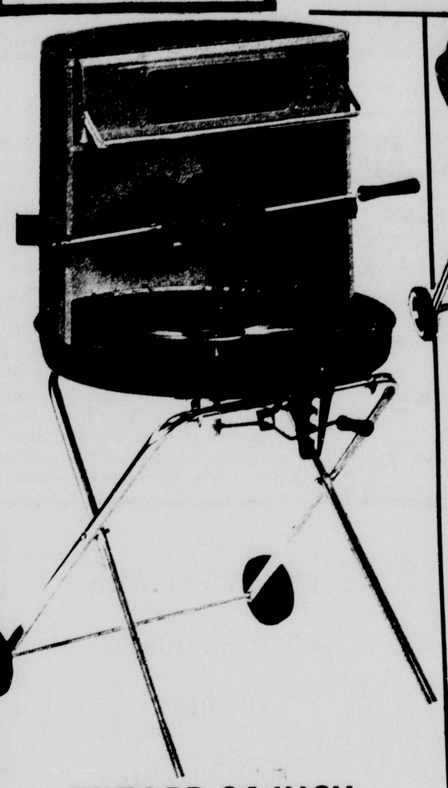

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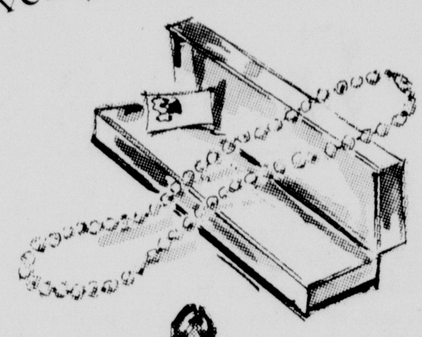

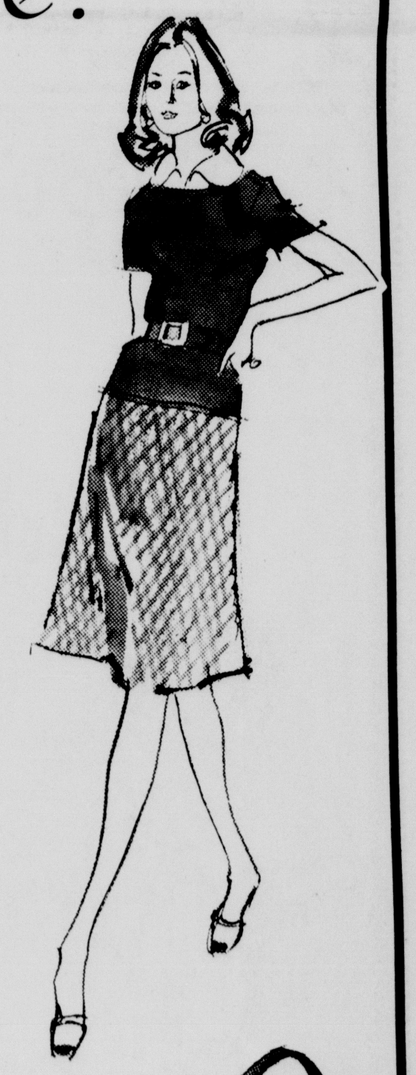

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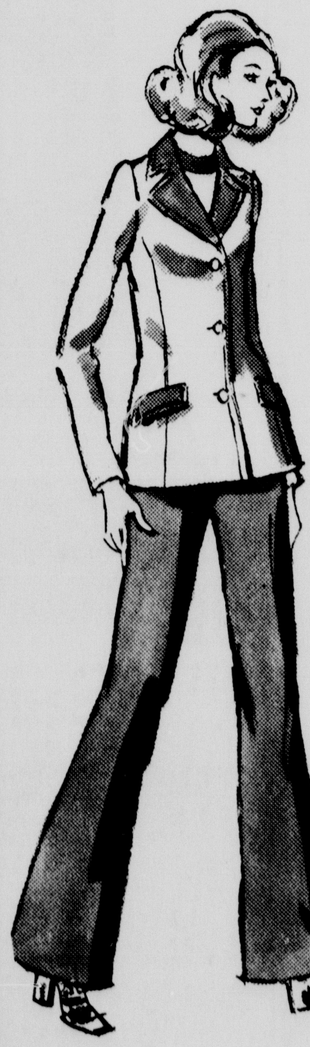

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Letters to the editor

Mary Nolen
The Daily Standard
Sikeston, Mo.

Dear Miss Nolen,

We've only been receiving the Daily Standard for a few days now. Already we've made up our minds that its one of the best. Please let us know who sells this paper here in Chaffee. I also would like for you to print the news of our son who is in the Navy.

Thank you,
Mrs, D. C. Carnell
426 Dame
Chaffee, Mo. 63740

April 16, 1973

Dear Sir:

I would like for you to print this in your newspaper.

I would like to have the descendant of Janey Bell Chaney Givens write to me.

Mrs. Chester Daum
Rural Route 2
Arcola, Ill. 61910

April 25, 1973

Dear Editor:

I wish to clarify my position that Mr. W. T. Woods of Bertrand, Mo. so maliciously twisted.

Mr. Woods had the audacity to suggest that Kit Bond was a "complete failure as a man" till he became Governor. And Mr. Woods seems to think that this is a pattern in politics now. I wrote in reply, that since Mr. Woods seems to find it convenient to attack our young governor for no reason at all, and with no argument to support his outrageous statement, that Mr. Woods might see the same pattern in our late President John Kennedy.

Mr. Woods, as might be expected, was shocked at the thought. In his reply letter he wrote that I should not become so obsessed that I would "pick the carcass of a fallen hero for petty politics." I suggest Mr. Woods that you don't become so obsessed in hero worship that you fail to see the facts.

I have searched through many texts, and books, and I fail to see why John F. Kennedy is a "hero" as Mr. Wood suggests. If sudden death (assassination in this case) qualifies one as a hero, then I suppose some sick person might just consider Lee Harvey Oswald a hero. I also question each of the points that Mr. Woods made that qualified JFK as a hero.

Point number one is the "courage" John Kennedy displayed during World War II as commander of a PT boat. I cannot dispute the courage of JFK in his efforts to rescue his crew after PT 109 was cut in half by a Japanese ship. Though I question how a ship as small as a PT can be rammed into another ship in the middle of the Pacific.

In a recent article in the St. Louis Globe Democrat Miss Nancy Clinch is interviewed about her book "The Kennedy Neurosis". When asked about PT 109 and the fact that Kennedy was a hero she wrote:

"I don't think just a brave person does a thing like racing the boat at the dock and reversing the engines at the last minute. He was warned that the engines couldn't take that kind of strain. Sure enough, one day his engine konked out and the boat slammed right into that dock. He was lucky he didn't kill anybody. I don't think that's very rational behavior. He showed recklessness in other areas of his naval career too. He would take his gunboat and go on very dangerous missions. Another officer was quoted as saying that the men didn't like to go out with him because he took so many chances."

Mr. Wood's next point is JFK's generosity in turning over his presidential salary and profits from the movie PT 109 to charity. This was indeed very charitable, but considering Kennedy was a millionaire at age 21, it doesn't seem surprising. In fact it would be very difficult for someone to look in the records and see where and when Kennedy ever worked for a living. And I doubt if most congressmen can afford to go to France on a vacation anytime they wish as JFK could and did.

Next Mr. Woods tell of how JFK was the "friend of the downtrodden." He had "a dream of a better America, but that dream would require unpopular changes." "He saw segregation, injustice and sickness and he tried to change it."

This all sounds good Mr. Woods, but aren't you slighting the memory of our late President Johnson. I thought he was the one who signed all the Bills that became known as the Civil Rights bill of 1964.

To illustrate JFK's role he said in 1960 that with the "stroke of a pen" he would remove discrimination in federal housing. For his whole first year, he did nothing. Black leaders began sending him pens saying, why don't you fulfill your promise.

The sad thing about Kennedy's ineffectiveness to get things done is the fact that he had a Democratic majority in both Houses of Congress. That's something Nixon hasn't had all of his five years as Presidentt.

You said Mr. Woods that brave men are heroes by "deed rather than words". This is true for all of the thousands of brave servicemen who gave up their life for their country, but in the case of JFK, he had few deeds and many words.

Finally Mr. Woods praises Kennedy "because he died for a cause." The only reason why JFK went to Dallas, Texas was for political reason, and he wasn't killed by an ultra-rightest, as many suspected and hoped, rather he was killed by a leftist Communist trained in Russia.

I realize that I am committing a grave sin (in the mind of Mr. Woods) by attacking the memory of John Kennedy. But, as he is a historical figure he must be judged accordingly.

Mr. Woods you are quick to condemn Kit Bond, and it was for that reason that I suggested that you apply your political theories to John Kennedy. Apparently your theories apply only to Republicans. That doesn't surprise me.

Sincerely,
Timothy P.O'Herin
New Madrid, Missouri

April 14, 1973

Editor,
Sikeston Standard,
Dear Mr. Editor,

I was in Sikeston recently and I was amazed or more exactly astonished, when I sought to license a car for my daughter there, for I have become accustomed to a sense of freedom here in Texas. Here we do not have (1) Personal Tax on any property by county city or state. Here we do not have (2) City Auto License, so I am wondering if the Citizens of the State of Missouri will ever throw off the yoke of tax slavery and demand a decent type of economic life that other people enjoy. We still have 23 cents and 25 cents per gallon gas here. While I was in Sikeston the price of gas rose 4cents per gallon over night. The public was certainly taken for a ride on that score. I propose national No Drive a Car Week, for the Oil Companies are surely taking the public just as much or more so than the meat industry. Lets demand some freedoms, Personal Taxes, OUT.

C.L. Crider
712 Teetshorn St.
Houston, Texas
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April 24, 1973

Mr. Charles Blanton, Jr.
Editor
THE SIKESTON STANDARD
205 South New Madrid
Sikeston, Missouri 63801

Dear Mr. Blanton:

I would like to comment on your editorial remark of April 23, that "No man who's old enough to grow whiskers looks good on a bicycle." While this may be true there is no doubt that a bicycle can make any man old enough to grow whiskers look good and feel better. More people ought to try it.

With best regards,
Very truly yours,
Jean-R. Dupont, M.D.

April 19, 1973

Editor
The Daily Standard
Sikeston, Missouri

Dear Sir:

The following is a poem I have written which I think is appropriate for the season.

If you have no editorial policy which would prevent it, I would like very much to share it with your readers:

THE COMING OF SPRING

Ah Spring, I thought you'd never come this year
And yet, and yet there is a sound I hear,
At first but faintly, then with mounting force
The might voice of Nature from whose source
All things we both anticipate and dread
Proceed. The Resurrection of the dead
And dreary landscape left by winter's tide
Of ruthless, savage strength will swiftly hide
The ugly scars with soft and healing leaves
And grass so green that one almost perceives
In rare elusive moments some pattern
Of the Infinite. Vain quest! Alas, turn
Quickly from such thoughts too deep for reason
And be joyful in this rarest season.

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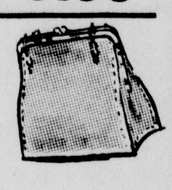

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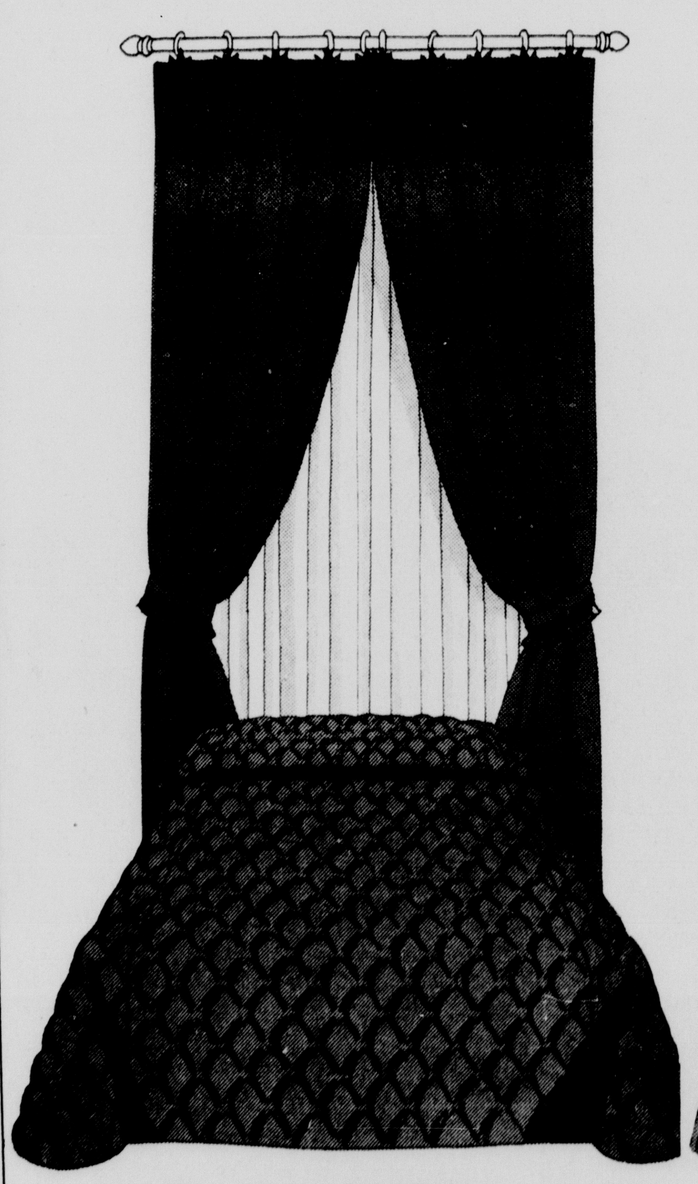

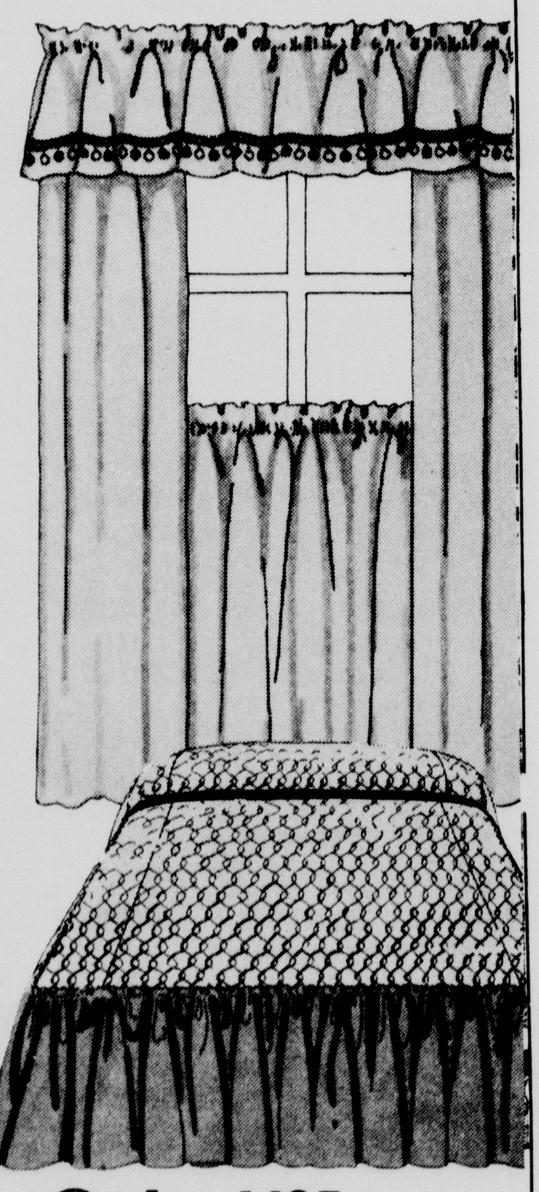

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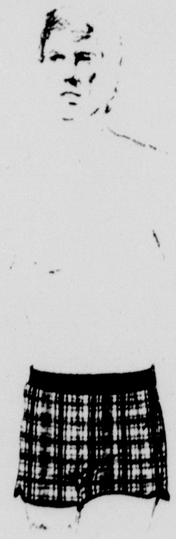

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SPORT SHIRT
From the Campus (R) "Now Breed" collection . . . a great- looking placket- front shirt in large monotone floral print. Tapered styling with Shelly Jr. collar and single pocket. Easy- care fabric blended of 65% polyester/ 35% cotton.

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The comfort shirt by Campus (R) . . . handsomely tailored in never- iron 90% Arnel (R) triacetate/ 10% nylon in solid and heather colors. From the popular "Now Breed" collection.

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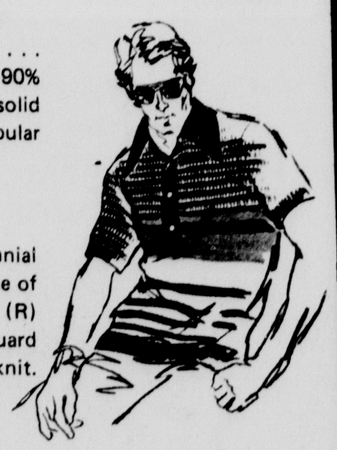
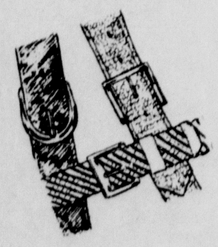
Front placket styling, a perennial favorite, makes this sweater shirt one of the most popular in the Campus (R) Expressions collection. Jaunty jacquard pattern in 100% Orlon (R) acrylic knit.





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April 27, 1973

Mr. Charles Blanton, Jr.
Daily Sikeston Standard
205 South New Madrid Street
Sikeston, Missouri 63801

Dear Mr. Blanton:

Fire Chief Larry Linnemeyer, recently spoke to the Sikeston Jaycees about the poor conditions of the Sikeston Fire Department. He told us of the need for more paid manpower, and further training of the firemen. He also told us of the many changes he has made during his first few months as Fire Chief.

We appreciate having such a dedicated man as Chief Linnemeyer, trying to upgrade Sikeston's Fire Protection. We fully support Chief Linnemeyer, the Sikeston Fire Department, and all of the Volunteer Firemen of Sikeston.

Sincerely,
Phil Boyer,
Secretary,
Sikeston Jaycees

April 27, 1973

Sikeston Standard
205 S. New Madrid St.
Sikeston, Missouri

Good Morning, Gentlemen:

We, in New Madrid, are very thankful for the wonderful job done by the Sikeston and Portageville units of Company C, Missouri National Guard.

It is marvelous to have someone to answer a call for help in an emergency such as ours.

Sincerely,
Thelma King, PR
Bank of New Madrid

TO RUTH

Another day is done,
Gone dead with sunset; 'tis over.
Now night is begun ....
And I dream of you, sweet lover.

I'll dream of you as I always do —
In awe of your beauty 'til morning's light.
I'll dream of embracing the softness and warmth of you ...
Oh, Death! Do not try to take me tonight!!

But, then, death would hold no fear for me,
I would laugh in it's face—
And all my dreams of you would be
Enough of heaven to surely take it's place.

David Aldridge

Dear Mr. Blanton,

On behalf of the members of our club, I would like to thank you for the advertisement your newspaper gave our yearly Easter egg hunt held in Malone Park.

We are very appreciative, even though part of the hunt was rained out.

Cordially,
Beth Tidwell
(Corresponding Secretary)

THE STORY OF THE IGA
By Linda Kay Davidson

One night my husband was hungry
so he went to the IGA.
When he got there it was closed,
but he went in anyway.

Donald Williams went there with him,
they got some steak and hops.
They weren't home very ong
when in came the cops.

Now they're locked up in Charleston,
they've got their own little room.
Every morning just about six
they start with a mob and broom.

They go to court next Tuesday,
Judge Craig won't give them a break.
'Cause he don't approve of eating
stolen chops and pork steak.

Now that's the story of the IGA.
When they get out I'm hoping,
the next time they go to the store
they'll go when it is open.

MOTHER

There can never be a substitute!
No, there can never be another
For that pretty girl, so pure and good,
You always knew as Mother.

She made you what you are —
You owe her everything.
She made your childish heart
Turn from hurt and sing.

She dried your eyes with hands so soft
And kissed your cheek with care,
And prayed if you were hurt again,
That somehow she'd be there.

You meant the world to her!
She cried to envision your leaving.
And when you did go, she spent her days
Conniving reunions to end all her grieving.

She may not always be there,
Praying for your quick return,
So, go! Embrace that sweet lady, my friend!
For it's never too late to learn ....

That there can never be a substitute,
No! There can never be another
For that pretty girl, so pure and good,
You always knew as Mother.

David Aldridge
15 Feb. 73

MY MOTHER

The sweetest Mother in the whole world
With pretty blue eyes and black hair in curls
She is so kind and good in every way
Couldn't ask for a better Mother so bright and so gay.

She had ten girls and two little boys
And to her, they were a pride and her joy
She would work so hard to keep our clothes clean
Stood all day over an ole wringer washing machine

She loved my daddy so very much, you see
She done her job, working all day then let things be
Until the next day she had it to do over again
Washing and ironing, cleaning house, and clothes to mend.

She'd stand over an old hot stove half a day at a time
To fix a big meal so good and so fine
Kids hanging on her apron strings and crying a lot
For something we didn't need or Dad hadn't bought.

Mother sat home with a bunch of kids all time
While Dad got out to work to make a few dimes
For the groceries and rent and rest of the bills
He worked so hard working at an old mill.

Mother and Father were very happy together
For they knew someday things would get better
You always knew as Mother.

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David Aldridge
15 Feb. 73

No one could ask for a better father and Mother
For someday they'll be gone and God knows we love 'em.

Written by
Janet Pfifer, Dixon

THERE STILL IS JUST ONE WAY TO SAY 'HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY'

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Wake up and find your MOTHER gone!

At first it seems she's on a trip,
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But finally you will learn,
She's on a trip of NO RETURN!

You'll feel alone and need some love,
You look up and pray to GOD above
You ask Him to take care of her till you arrive,
And to that ONE goal you will strive!

You see your Dad, a grown man, cry,
And feel as if you want to die!
So do as SHE says, and don't say no,
Because the day will come when you miss HER, I know!

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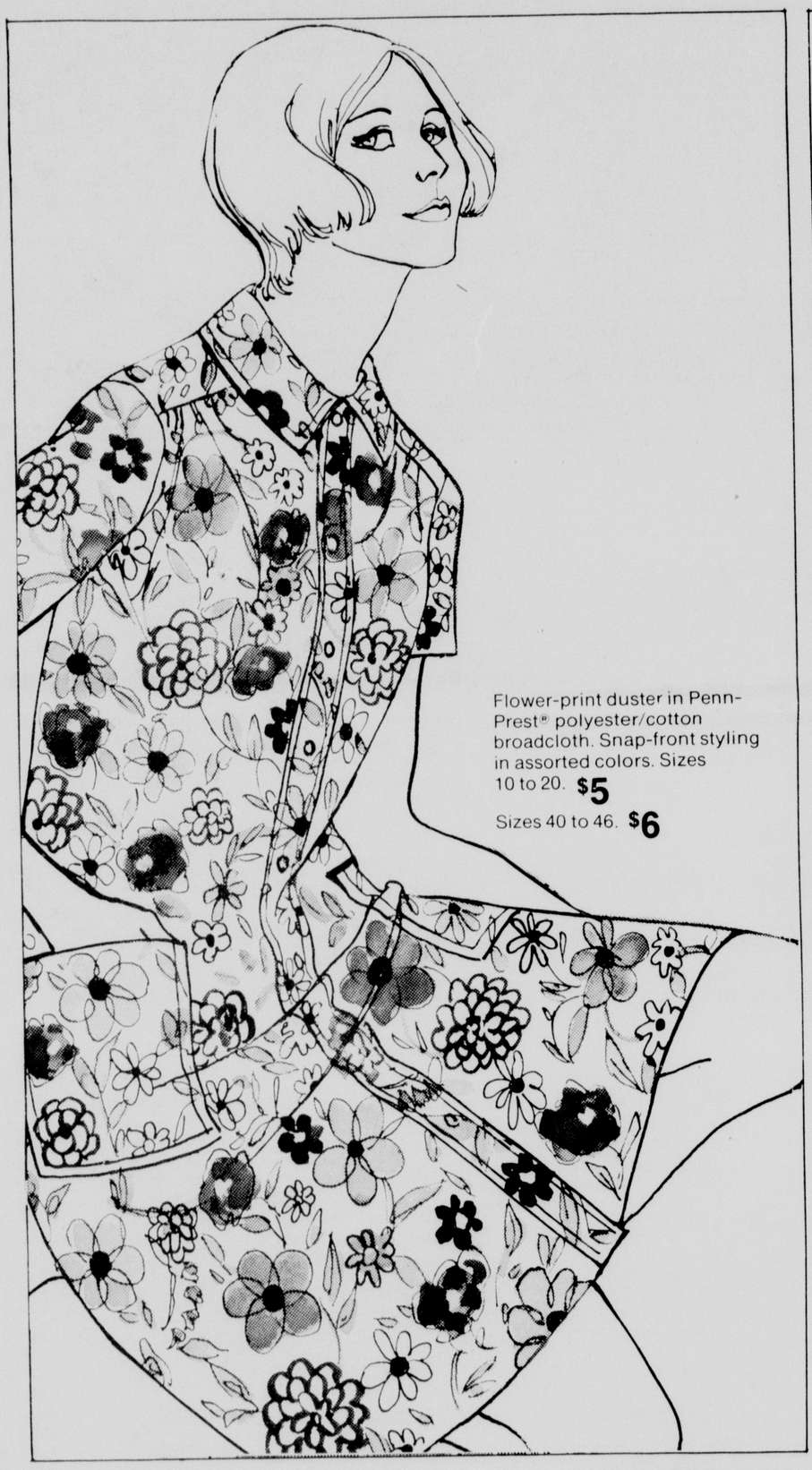

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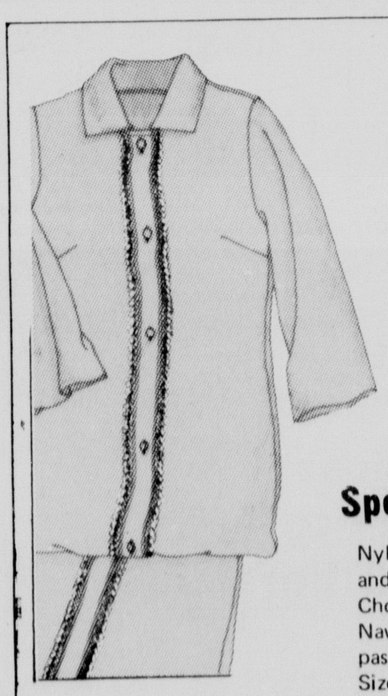

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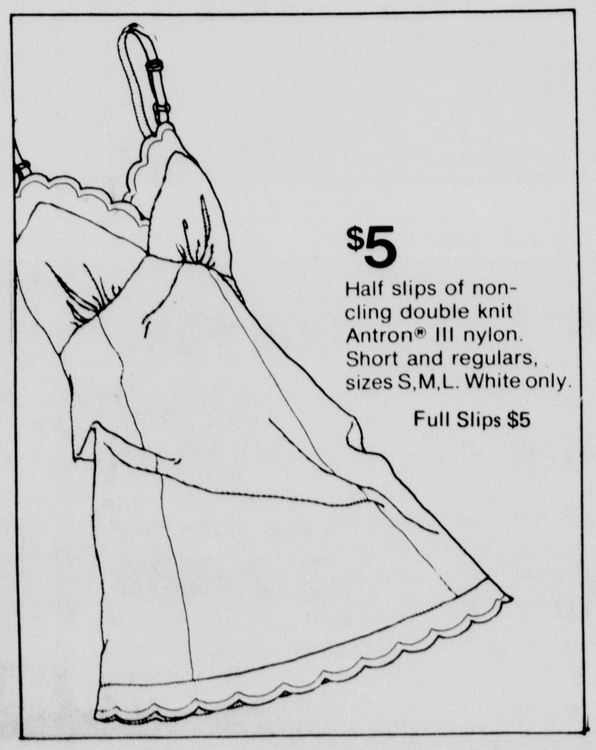

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House approves series of spending bills today

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — The Missouri House approved today a series of spending bills, including a $171.3 million appropriations bill to fund state higher education.

Also passed was a $4.5 million measure to pay for the expense of the legislature for the 1973-74 fiscal year.

The money for the legislature includes funds for increasing the staffs of the legislative research and fiscal affairs committees, which aid lawmakers in drawing up legislation.

The House has to finish work on all the appropriations, totaling about $2 billion, for the next fiscal year. The higher education spending proposals now go to the Senate.

The House also approved a resolution to change the state Constitution to bring it in line with U. S. Supreme Court rulings allowing 18-year-olds to vote.

Besides allowing the 18-year-old vote, the resolution reduces the state residency requirement from one year to 60 days, and the county residency requirement from 60 to 30 days.

The appropriations bill authorizes $107,111,517 from general revenue (state tax money) for the four campuses of the University of Missouri.

Wednesday, the House gave preliminary approval to the Equal Rights Amendment to the U.. S. Constitution and the Senate gave first-round approval to a bill lowering the age of majority—including voting rights—from 21 to 18.

The 84-74 approval of the Equal Rights Amendment (ERA) came after a full day of debate centered mainly on amendments that some representatives said would render the measure invalid.

They require the ERA to be submitted to a public vote, and require that if no such election is held or if the courts declare such action illegal, the ratification will become void.

The 18-year-old majority age bill was approved 22-8 after it was amended to exclude the purchase of alcoholic beverages by those under 21.

The Senate also defeated a bill to limit liability damages against hospitals to $100,000. Some senators criticized the bill as being special interest legislation.

The House gave first round approval to a resolution to change the state Constitution to allow local communities to levy a sales tax on gasoline to be used to support public mass transit systems.

In other action, the Senate passed a bill to revise the state's anti-trust law to tighten controls over price fixing, monopolies and restraint of trade.

In floor debate last week it was weakened by eliminating civil penalties and restricting the powers of the attorney general. The criminal penalty includes a maximum fine of $50,000.

Also passed were bills to expand the public defender system to include juvenile and mental cases, although funding was not approved, to raise the pay of treasurers in second, third and fourth class counties, and to provide a new procedure for carrying out a will's requests or provisions to a trust or trustees.

Given tentative approval were bills to include magistrate court clerks in the state retirement systems and to reduce from nine to six months the amount of time in which a deceased person's real estate cannot be sold from his estate.

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Revenue Department dismisses seven

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — The Missouri Revenue Department has fired seven auditors and field representatives but the revenue director says the dismissals are not directly connected to a federal investigation of possible widespread sales tax evasion.

The personnel changes were made, Revenue Director James R. Spradling said Wednesday, to tighten sales tax collection and to hire more competent employes.

Those dismissed were in the Kansas City office. The department's sales tax division had 24 auditors and field representatives.

More than 150 persons have been replaced, mostly in the Jefferson City headquarters and in fee offices, since Spradling took over as director in January. The department has about 1,600 employes.

Spradling has estimated the uncollected sales tax at between $45 million and $100 million a year.

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Galaxie 2 door. (White) V/8 engine, power steering, air conditioning, radio, automatic transmission.

1969 FORD
County Sedan Wagon (Light Green) V/8 engine, power steering, air conditioning, clean.

1971 CHEVROLET
Blazer V/8 engine, automatic transmission.

1970 FORD
Pickup low wheel base, V/8 engine, power steering, automatic transmission.

1972 FORD
3/4 ton Pickup 390 engine, power steering and brakes, air conditioned, radio 7.50x16 8 ply tires, automatic transmission.

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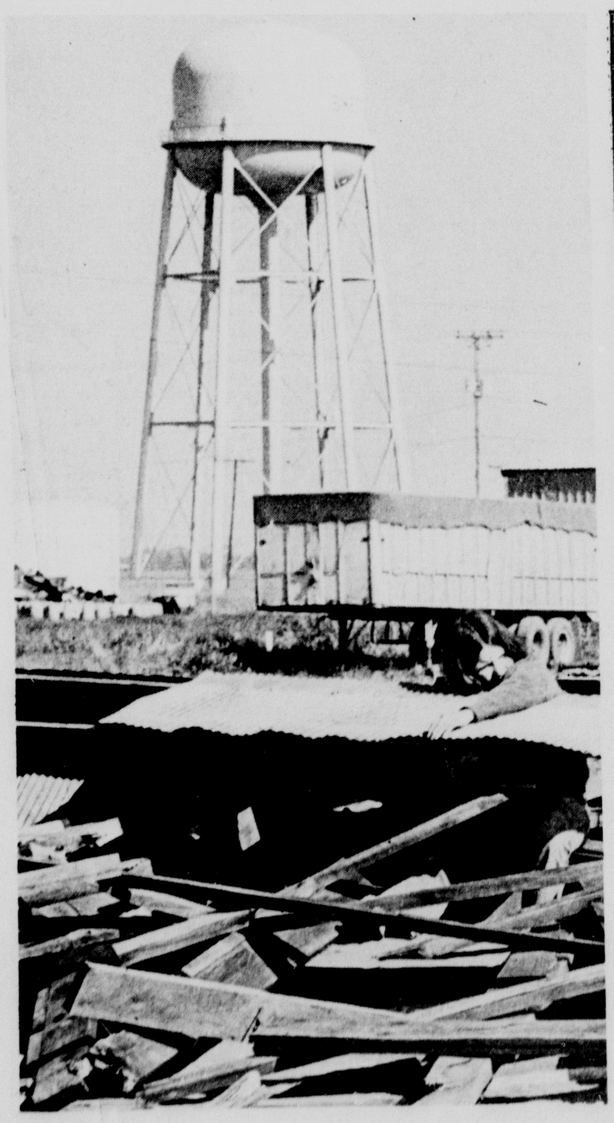
Fatal disaster victim

A mock disaster victim waits to be removed after receiving a fatal electrical shock at the Sikeston Cotton Gin. A disaster judge stands in the background rating the performance of rescue teams.
(Daily Standard photo by Tim Ludwig)



Victim awaits rescue

An unidentified disaster victim awaits rescue, trapped beneath rubble at the Sikeston Cotton Gin on North Street. She was one of 30 victims in the mock disaster today.
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Immaculate Conception grade 8

1973 New Madrid Immaculate Conception School eighth grade graduates, top row, from left, are Nancy Lee Hatley, Richard Luke St. Mary, Paula Jean Hampton, Kevin Hayden Dawson and Lisa Jean Estes. Bottom row, the Rev. Sylvester Bauer, parish priest, Kim Estes, Mary Kay Perry, Cheryl Annette Higgerson and Edward John Porter.

FBI reveals extortion plot

ST. LOUIS (AP) — An elaborate extortion plot which forced a St. louis bank president to turn over $50,000 because the bank official's wife was bound and gagged was revealed by FBI agents here Wednesday, although the incident occurred two days earlier.

William C. Dowd, the 60-yearold president of the Missouri State Bank and Trust Co., complied with orders given him by a man during a telephone conversation after a briefcase was delivered to Dowd's office Monday morning. The briefcase contained photographs showing Dowd's wife bound and gagged, police said.

Mrs. Mae Dowd, 65, told police a man forced his way into her Kirkwood, Mo., home Monday morning and tied her to a bed.

The man, who was armed with a pistol, took several snapshots of her and then apparently left, police said.

A short time later, a man matching the description of Mrs. Dowd's assailant, left a briefcase at Dowd's downtown office and he told the bank president's secretary that Dowd should examine its contents.

Dowd returned to the office following a meeting and found several photographs of his wife in the briefcase along with two of her rings.

A few minutes later, police said, Dowd received a second call from a man identified as "Mike Gallis" who told him he would have to hand over $50,000 if he ever wanted "to see your wife alive again."

The caller ordered Dowd to put the money in small bills in the briefcase and take it to a hotel five blocks away. Dowd obeyed after notifying FBI agents.

While standing in the hotel lobby, Dowd was called to a house telephone and was told to leave the briefcase in the hotel basement and return home. He did as he was told and found his wife unharmed.

When FBI agents went to the hotel basement the briefcase and the money were gone.

An agent said later that authorities "were in the vicinity" of the hotel when the money was left there, but declined to answer questions about how the extortionist managed to collect the briefcase and escape.

"The safety of the victim is of prime importance in these cases," the agent said. "At that point, we still did not have any knowledge of the whereabouts of his wife," he said.

No arrests have been made and the investigation was continuing.

FREE-WHEELING—Neatest look going for spring and summer is this crewneck T-shirt in a glad plaid of orange and turquoise. In a predominantly cotton knit blend for tops in comfort, it's by Miss Ingenue.

Scott County Baccalaureate services have been announced

Baccalaureate services and commencement exercises have been announced by Scott County high schools.

The baccalaureate service for Sikeston High School is scheduled at 7 p.m. May 20 with the Rev. Wade Paris, pastor of Murray Lane Baptist Church, as speaker. The commencement program will be presented at 7 p.m. May 21 and the featured speakers will be members of the senior class. Weather permitting, both exercises will be conducted in the football stadium. If not, the programs will be moved into the fieldhouse.

The Rev. Richard Rolwing, pastor of Guardian Angel Catholic Church will be guest speaker at the Oran High School baccalaureate service at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium May 13. Class officers will speak at commencement exercises on May 17 at 8 p.m.

The baccalaureate sermon at Illmo- Scott City High School will be delivered by the Rev. Don Kuehle, pastor of the Illmo United Methodist Church, at 8 p.m. May 30 in the high school auditorium. The commencement speaker on May 31 at 8 p.m. will be Dr. Bill Stacy of Southeast Missouri State University in Cape Girardeau.

Guest speaker at the Scott County Central High School baccalaureate service on May 20 in the high school auditorium will be the Rev. Gary Williams, pastor of the Morley Church of God. Commencement exercises are scheduled May 21 with students from the senior class as the featured speakers.

The Rev. Kelly Brigman, pastor of First Christian Church in Chaffee, will be the speaker at the baccalaureate service for Chaffee High School at 8 p.m. May 23. The commencement speaker will be Dr. Fred Thornton of Sikeston at 8 p.m. May 25.

Commencement exercises for Kelly High school will be presented at 8 p.m. May 24. Students from the senior class will be the featured speakers. Baccalaureate services will not be held.

MHS spring band concert tonight

MALDEN — The annual Malden High School spring band concert and junior and senior art exhibit has been rescheduled for today. The events were postponed from last week due to rain.

The concert will be staged at 6:45 p.m. at City Park, weather permitting. Otherwise, the concert will be held at the high school auditorium at 6:45.

The junior and senior art exhibit will be displayed in the school auditorium, and will be open for viewing immediately after school.

The Band Booster Club will open a stand at 5:45 p.m. to sell hotdogs and sodas to those who wish to eat before the concert. The stand will operate in the park, if the concert is held there. Otherwise, the stand will operate at the gym.

There will be no admission charged for either the concert or the art exhibit.

Wobbly Earth

As it rotates, Earth wobbles on its axis. This deviation, known as Chandler's Wobble, reaches its peak every seventh year, and some scientists believe earthquakes are more numerous in those years. The next peak year will be in 1978.

House gives tentative approval to ERA

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — "We're going to mess around and wind up looking like idiots," said one representative during the debate on the Equal Rights Amendment to the U.S. Constitution in the Missouri House.

The House gave tentative approval Wednesday to the resolution to adopt the ERA, 84-74. The measure faces one more vote in the House and then goes to the Senate.

The Senate version was voted down 7-3 by their Judiciary Committee in February.

Rep. Winnie Weber, D-House Springs, who made the "idiots" reference objected to amendments to the resolution which some members said rendered the measure unconstitutional.

Several other members echoed her sentiments calling the amendments "camoflage for the opposition," and saying they were "fogging up" and "clouding" the issue.

The House spent nearly a full day debating the ERA, with debate centering on an amendment by Rep. Gladys Merriott, D-Kansas City, to submit the ERA to a public referendum and another addition, sponsored by Rep. Leo Schrader, D-Joplin, stating that if no election is held or if the courts rule any section of the Missouri version is illegal, ratification by the legislature will be voided.

Both amendments were adopted.

Debate on the proposal began with its sponsor, Rep. Sue Shear, D-Clayton, saying the ERA was "probably the most controversial measure this House has taken up in years."

"We are making history," another lawmaker noted. "The eyes of the nation are on us."

Opponents argued the ERA would damage the family as a social unit, create chaos in the legal system, result in the drafting of women and bring integrated restrooms.

Proponents countered that it meant only equal rights for women and the right for a woman to pursue a career without discrimination.

The amendment says: "Equality of rights under the law shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any state on account of sex."

After hours of debate the nain issue became whether the additions to the resolution would render it illegal.

Majority Floor Leader Kenneth Rothman, D-Clayton, said decisions by both the Missouri and Ohio Supreme Courts had declared that amendments to the U.S. Constitution could not be submitted to a popular vote, since the Constitution allows only approval by three-fourths of the legislatures or state conventions for ratifications.

Malden Baccalaureate services Sunday May 6

MALDEN — A baccalaureate service for the 1973 graduating class of Malden High School will be held at 5 p.m. Sunday in the high school auditorium.

The Rev. Tom K. Prentice, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon. The Rev. Bill Phipps, pastor of Sunnyvale General Baptist Church, will offer the invocation, and the benediction will be given by Chuck Huber, minister of the Church of Christ.

The service will include selections by the mixed choir.

Commencement exercises will be held at 8 p.m May 10 in the high school auditorium.

Supt. Tom Park Jr. will present the class for graduation, and diplomas will be awarded by David Watson, president of the board of education. Awards and scholarships will be presented by Carl Townsend, high school principal.

Miss Debra Smithson, valedictorian, and Miss Sue Marshall, salutatorian, will be introduced by Supt. Park and both will give an address.

The Rev. Donald Cochran, pastor of First Southern Baptist Church, will give the invocation and the benediction will be offered by the Rev. Dale Hill, pastor of First Pentecostal Church.

The program will include selections by the girls choir and the mixed choir.

Application for Doniphan FM station

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Communications Commission Wednesday announced receipt of an application for a construction permit for a new FM station at Doniphan, Mo., from Jack G. Hunt.

The FCC also announced the following action:

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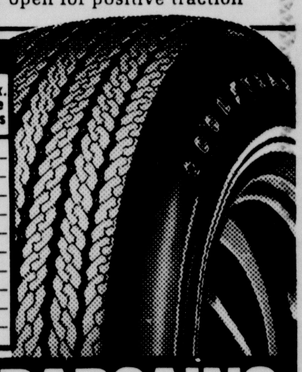
F78-14	7.75-14	2 for $59.90	$2.50
G78-14	8.25-14	2 for $62.50	$2.67
H78-14	8.55-14	2 for $68.50	$2.94
F78-15	7.75-15	2 for $61.60	$2.54
G78-15	8.25-15	2 for $64.10	$2.73
H78-15	8.55-15	2 for $68.90	$2.96
J78-15	8.85-15	2 for $71.40	$3.12
L78-15	9.15-15	2 for $74.60	$3.13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G60-14	$51.20	$40.02	$2.90
L60-14	$60.60	$48.01	$3.49
F60-15	$50.15	$40.12	$2.89
G60-15	$52.25	$40.91	$2.96
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Deaths

OSBORN GRAYAM

CHAFFEE — Osborn Grayam, 81, died early Wednesday morning in Chaffee General Hospital.

He was born Dec. 8, 1891 in Kentucky. On Dec. 12, 1936, he married Mrs. Allie E. Dale of Chaffee. She preceded him in death on Dec. 7, 1962. He later married Mrs. Corleda Howard, who survives.

Other survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Bertha Sitz of Bloomfield and Mrs. Florence Walker of Flint, Mich.

The body is at Amick-Burnett Funeral Chapel where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday with the Rev. Ernest Lee of Chaffee officiating.

Burial will be in Union Park Cemetery.

THEON W. SCHEETER

CHAFFEE— Funeral mass for Theon W. Scheeter, 70, who died of drowning about 11:30 p.m. Tuesday is scheduled at 10 a.m. Friday at St. Amborse Catholic Church. The Rev. James J. Holmes, pastor, will officiate.

Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Recitation of the rosary is scheduled at 7 p.m. today in the Amick- Burnett Funeral Chapel.

He was born Sept. 19, 1902 at New Hamburg. On Nov. 20, 1944, he married Mary Margaret Schmitt of Chaffee, who survives. He served in the Army in World War II and was a member of St. Ambrose Catholic Church and Aubuchon- Alsobrook American Legion Post. No. 389 of Chaffee. He had worked most of his life as a construction worker.

Other survivors include one brother, J.J. Scheeter of Memphis, Tenn., and one sister, Mrs. Bertha Pratt of Hayti

OTTO C. SCHEETER

NEW HAMBURG — Otto Charles Scheeter, 81, a retired farmer and carpenter, died at 11:15 a.m. Wednesday in Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau where he had been a patient since Tuesday morning.

He was born March 17, 1892 at New Hamburg. On Aug. 8, 1916, he married the Mamie Katie Westrich, who preceded him in death on March 2, 1968. He was a member of St. Lawrence Catholic Church and St. Joseph's Sodality.

He is survived by six sons, Ervin and Hubert Scheeter of New Hamburg, Eddie Scheeter of Chaffee, Herbert Scheeter of Cape Girardeau, Alvin Scheeter of St. Louis and Kenneth Scheeter of Sikeston; six daughters, Mrs. Arabella Stike of Jennings, Mrs. Adella Scheeter, Mrs. Lois Eastwood and Mrs. Orilla Pobst of Chaffee, Mrs. Loretta Hamilton of Belleville, Ill., and Mrs. Ada Lee Hasenkamp of Benton; two brothers, Leo Scheeter of Chaffee and Manuel Scheeter of Scott City; one sister, Mrs. Rosalee Wiedefeld of New Hamburg; and 29 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

The body is at Amick-Burnett Funeral Chapel in Chaffee where prayer services will be conducted by St. Joseph's Sodality at 7:30 p.m. Friday, followed at 8 p.m. by a Knights of Columbus prayer service by St. Vincent Council No. 11 of Cape Girardeau.

Funeral mass is scheduled at 10 a.m. Saturday at St. Lawrence Catholic Church at New Hamburg with the Rev. Francis Donivan officiating.

Burial will be in the church cemetery.

FLORENCE A. MASTERS

CANALOU— Mrs. Florence Agnes Masters, 84, died at 2:20 p.m. Wednesday at Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston following an extended illness.

She was born Sept. 10, 1888 in Zalma to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lackey. She had lived in Canalou since 1950 and was a member of the Church of Christ. In 1903 she married William L. Masters, who died Aug. 28, 1964.

Surviving are two sons, Wesley Masters of Canalou and Elma Masters of Belleville, Ill.; two daughters, Mrs. William Hastings and Miss Freddie Masters of Canalou; one sister, Mrs. Marguerite Ledford of Zellwood, Fla., and five grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren and six great great grandchildren.

The body is at McMikle Funeral Home where friends may call after 6 p.m. today.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday with Grady Reeves, minister of the East Prairie Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial will be in Matthews Cemetery.

ROSIE RUNNELS

Rosie Runnels, 87, of 410 Jackson St. died at 9 p.m. Tuesday of an apparent heart attack while en route to Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

She was born June 5, 1885 in Millersville. On Nov. 19, 1905, she married Fred Runnels, who preceded her in death. She had lived in Willard and Cape Girardeau counties most of her life.

Surviving are two daughters, Prudence Ross of Cape Girardeau and Marie Proffer of Cape Girardeau; three sons, Nafis Runnels of Sikeston, Frederick Runnels of Jackson and Loran Runnels of St. Charles; one sister, Mrs. Ida Armstrong of Cape Girardeau; two brothers, James Monroe Ates of St. Louis and Jeff Ates of Oran; and 16 grandchildren and 15 great- grandchildren.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday at McCombs Funeral Home in Jackson.

Burial will be in Jackson Cemetery.

SCOTT J. BENNETT

EAST PARIRIE — Scott Joseph Bennett, one- day - old son of Barry David and Jane Ann Sides Bennett of East Prairie, died at 12:15 p.m. Wednesday. He was born at 2:34 p.m. Tuesday at Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston.

Surviving, in addition to his parents, are one brother, Brian David Bennett; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Bennett of East Prairie; and maternal grandmother, Mrs. Raymond Sides of New Madrid.

Graveside rites were conducted at 10 a.m. today at Dogwood Cemetery with the Rev. Sylvester Bauer, pastor of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church of New Madrid, officiating.

THOMAS H. CARTHELL

CHARLESTON — Thomas Henry Carthell, 38, died at 7:35 p.m. Wednesday in Chaffee General Hospital following an extended illness.

He was born Feb. 29, 1935 at Trenton, Tenn. He had lived in Charleston since childhood.

Surviving are his stepmother, Mrs. Nellie Carthell of Charleston; three sons, Larry, Thomas and Frederick Carthell of rural Charleston; four daughters, Anna, Gloria, Glenda and Evelyn Carthell of rural Charleston; four brothers, James Carthell of Muncie, Ind., Mose and Willie Carthell of Jackson, Tenn., and Charles Frank Carthell of Charleston; and two sisters, Mrs. Rosie Couch of Howardville and Glendora Carthell of Muncie.

The body is at Sparks Funeral Home where friends may call Friday night.

Funeral services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Saturday in Mercy Seat Baptist Church with the Rev. L. B. Bostic officiating.

Burial will be in Oak Grove Cemetery.

CORA WILLIAMS

CHARLESTON — Mrs. Cora Williams, 66, died at 4:30 p.m. Monday at her home following an illness of more than one year.

She was born Sept. 26, 1906 in Belzoni, Miss., and had lived in Missouri since 1922. She had lived in Charleston for 25 years. She was a member of Mercy Seat Baptist Church.

She is survived by four brothers, McKinley and Freddie Starks of Buffalo N. Y., Joe Starks of St. Louis and Ed Starks of Charleston; and two sisters, Mrs. Leola Biles and Mrs. Arlene Hail of Charleston.

Friends may call at Sparks Funeral Home Saturday afternoon and night.

Services are scheduled at 1:30 p.m. Sunday in Mercy Seat Baptist Church with the Rev. R. H. Hunt officiating.

Burial will be in Oak Grove Cemetery.

CARL HOLT

BLOOMFIELD— Carl Holt, 61, of Route Three died at 3 a.m. today in Dexter Memorial Hospital of an apparent heart attack.

He was born Jan. 2, 1912 near Bell City to Claude Holt and Izzi Cattner Holt. He married Ethel Hoosier, who died Sept. 19, 1956.

Surviving are three brothers, Chester Holt of Benton Route One, Fred Holt of Orlando, Fla., and Claude Holt of St. Louis; and two sisters, Mrs. Gladys Green of Barnhart and Mrs. Irene Wright of St. Louis.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Saturday in Chiles—Cooper Funeral Home in Bloomfield with the Rev. Charles Hanna, pastor of the Missionary Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial will be in Morgan Memorial Park Cemetery in Advance.

Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
1st Nat Bk of Sik	5¼	6¼
Anheuser Busch	47½	48
Frontier Tower	1½	2
Olson Bros	2¾	3¼
Martha Manning	2	2½
ICH Corp	8	8½
Pabst Brewing	69¾	70½
Downtowner	2½	3
Wetterau	20½	21
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		24½
American Tel & Tel		52¾
American Motors		8½
Calvert Exp		3½
Chrysler		32¾
Columbia Gas		30¾
Eaton Mfg		34¼
Ford Motors		62
General Motors		72½
Interstate Brands		8½
Malone & Hude		27¼
Mid South Util		22¼
New England Elect		24¼
lJ. C. Penney Co.		82
WalMart Stores		22¼

EDITORS NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate if one were a buyer. These are listings at the close of the previous market.

Five Most Active

Dow Jones Industrial Averages at noon were down 4.52 on a volume of 6.75 million shares.

NYSE MOST ACTIVE:

ITT	34 3/8	-1/2
Texaco	38	-1/2
Santa Fe Ind.	25 5/8	-1/4
G.E.	58 7/8	-7/8
Ford	61 1/4	-5/8
East. Airl.	12	-1/2
LISTED STOCKS		
Amer. Tele	52 7/8	
Anheuser Busch	48	
Butler Natl	2 7/8	
Champ Home Bldrs	6 3/8	
Connrex	9 1/2	
Cooper Tire	16 7/8	
Evans Prod.	16	
Feld Leasing	11 3/8	
Ford	62	
GAF Corp.	13 3/8	
Manchester Life	7	
Gen. Mtrs.	72 3/8	
Interco	43	
Durotest	10 1/4	
Keystond Indus.	6 3/8	
Malone & Hyde	27	
Mid Amer. Gr. Plains	1/2	
Noranda Mines	50	
Texaco	38 1/2	
Transamerica	12 7/8	
Volume Shoe	13 3/4	
Wetterau Foods	20 3/8	

These quotations were provided at 11 a.m. today by Don Sarno, Account Executive, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, INc., 220 North Fourth Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63102. Call TOLL-FREE 1-800 392-3430.

House approves conscience bill

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — A so-called "conscience bill" allowing doctors, nurses and hospitals to refuse to participate in abortions if it is against their moral or religious principles was approved today by the Missouri House.

The bill now goes to the Senate. A similar measure has been approved by Congresss.

Two bills to regulate abortions in Missouri are still alive on an informal calendar, but floor substitutes for them were defeated last week. One would allow abortions during the first three months of pregnancy.

Under another bill passed and sent to the Senate today, Missouri businesses would get a preference in bidding for state contracts for goods and services. It says state agencies must take into consideration maintenance after the contract is granted.

The bill also allows Missouri businesses to deduct the amount of taxes they would pay to the state from their bidding price, although the contract price would remain the same.

An overseas trade office for the promotion and export of Missouri products would be set up under another bill approved. Lt. Gov. William C. Phelps has recommended the office be in Brussels.

Other bills approved by the House would:

—Permit the state to accept the Bothwell Lodge near Sedalia as state property to be used for educational or charitable purposes.

River Stages

MISSISSIPPI RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	41.3	Sta
Cape Girardeau	32	45.0	-.5
New Madrid	34	42.0	+.3
Caruthersville	32	41.1	+.3

FORECAST

At Chester the river will fall 1.1 Friday; fall .8 Saturday; and fall .9 Sunday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall .9 Friday; fall .9 Saturday; and fall .6 Sunday.

At New Madrid the river will rise .1 Friday and crest at 42.1; fall .2 Saturday; and fall .1 Sunday.

At Caruthersville the river will rise .4 Friday; rise .3 Saturday; and rise .5 Sunday and crest at 42.3.

OHIO RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	40.8	+1.0
Paducah	39	42.9	+.7
Grand Chain	42	53.5	+.4
Cairo	40	54.6	+.4

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will rise .8 Friday; rise .6 Saturday; and rise .3 Sunday. The river will crest at 42.5 Monday.

At Paducah the river will rise .4 Friday; rise .4 Saturday; and rise .3 Sunday and crest at 44.0.

At Grand Chain no forecast was available.

At Cairo the river in in crest now and will fall .1 Friday; fall .2 Saturday; and fall .2 Sunday.

Livestock Market

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Estimated receipts for Friday: 4,000 hogs, 100 cattle and 25 sheep.

Hog receipts: 6,500. Barrows and gilts 25-50 lower, U. S. 1-2 200-250 lb. 35.75 - U. S. 1-3 200-230 lb. 35.00-35.50, U. S. 1-3 230-260 lb. 34.50-35.00. Sows steady to 25 lower, U. S. 1-3 300-400 lb. 31.50- 32.25, U. S. 1-3 400-600 lb. 31.25- 31.75. Boars 31.75- 32.00, weights under 350 lb. 30.50 - 31.50.

Cattle receipts: 1,200. Not enough slaughter steers or heifers for test. Cows weak to 50 lower, bulls steady. Supply included 1,000 for regular Thursday auction. Utility and commercial cows 32.00-34.50, cutter 30.00-32.00, canner 26.00-30.50, shelly canner 20.00-25.00. Utility, commercial and good bulls 38-00.41.00. Vealers, choice 55.00-60.00, good 51.00-55.00.

Sheep receipts: 25 head. Slaughter, package choice, shorn old crop, 118 lb. No. 1 pelt 31.00.

Grain Market

CHICAGO (AP) — Soybean and grain futures prices were irregular to weak in early dealings on the Chicago Board of Trade today.

On the opening, soybeans were 3 cents a bushel lower to 1 higher, May 7.65; wheat was ⅞ lower to 1 higher, May 2.35½; corn was ¾ to 1½ lower, May 1.70 and oats were ½ to 1 lower, July new 93½ cents.

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and of Secondary School Principals.

Missouri Association for Social Welfare; Missouri Catholic Conference; Missouri Congress of Parents and Teachers; Missouri Council of Churches; Missouri Municipal League; National Association of Social Workers, Missouri Council of Chapters; State Department of Education; and the Woman's Auxiliary to the Missouri State Medical Association.

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morning's disaster as the dead and injured were brought in and emergency procedures were activated.

Harold Jones, hospital administrator, said the drill was "very fine," He added that some of the problems which had occurred last year were not experienced this year.

The first thing that was done was to secretly change the time from 9:30 to 9 a.m. to test the reaction to something that came a little prematurely, Jones said. The first call announding that a disaster had occurred came at 9:02 to the hospital.

The situation was announced over the speaker system of the hospital and the number of beds available was made known. The hospital then activated the area of the hospital that is currently closed and had personnel standing by ready to staff the area, if needed.

The physical therapy department was alerted to clear all their carts and tables to receive patients, if necessary.

Patients started being received about 10 minutes after the alert, and the medical staff responded. Dr. Thornton "called the shots for the medical staff," Jones said.

The patients were received at the emergency door and dispersed throughout the hospital. Treatment was instituted when the patients were received, Jones said.

The operating room schedule filled quickly and a two hour waiting period became necessary for operations. Some patients arrived at the hospital dead.

Jones said that the communication problem experienced last year did not occur this year. The hospital was in contact with police and other departments at all times with no interruptions. The Civil Air Patrol also established radio contact with the hospital to help. Deputy Sheriff Gerald Inman was in charge of the communications.

"We did not experience the terrific traffic jam with ambulances this year because of the guidance of police and the traffic committee," Jones said.

"We did realize, however, that things had been forgotten," he added. "The Ministerial Alliance was not involved. If it had been a true disaster, their help would have been needed," Jones said. The ministers would comfort the families and keep them informed. "This is a vital thing, which we would not want to overlook in a real disaster," Jones said.

"All in all, the drill was very fine," Jones said. "I feel the city of Sikeston is in a much better position today to cope with a real disaster than we were yesterday."

Jones extended his appreciation to everyone who participated in the drill... the ambulance services, city departments and others. He said that the citizens of Sikeston should be proud that the city will participate in a drill such as this.

To people viewing the disaster, it may have seemed funny, but if it had been real, it would not have been. With disaster drills like this, the city will be ready to handle a real disaster if it should occur and will have an idea of how fast it can be handled.

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Gibson wins first

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

It all started on Aug. 31, 1965, for Bob Gibson but Tom Seaver would like to know when it will all end.

Gibson tied a major league pitching record by making his 241st consecutive start and posted his first 1973 triumph as the St. Louis Cardinals edged the San Diego Padres 5-4 Wednesday night.

Meanwhile, the New York Mets got hard-luck Seaver his designated run but Cincinnati's Johnny Bench and Pete Rose unloaded on the suddenly homer-prone hurler and powered the Reds to a 6-1 victory over the New York Mets.

Elsewhere in the National League, Pittsburgh nipped San Francisco 2-1, Los Angeles downed the Chicago Cubs 4-1, Houston trimmed Philadelphia 9-4 and Montreal shaded Atlanta 3-2.

American League scores: Chicago 4, Baltimore 0; Oakland 7, Milwaukee 3 in 10 innings; Kansas City 4, New York 3; California 5, Detroit 3 in 12 innings; Boston 6, Texas 2; Cleveland 8, Minnesota 4 in 10 innings.

The story of Seaver's season thus far as been home run, no run and one run. The opposition usually gets a home run or two while the punchless Mets settle for nothing at all or perhaps a token run. Wednesday night's run was only their second in Seaver's last four starts and they wasted a 13-strikeout performance by the hard-throwing right-hander, who fanned the side in the fourth, fifth and sixth innings. "He got 13 strikeouts, but he also got a big L in the loss column," gloated Cincinnati's Joe Morgan.

Amidst the strikeouts, the Reds scored in the fourth on a walk and Dave Concepcion's double and then Bench snapped a 1-1 tie in the sixth with his fourth homer of the season on a 3-0 pitch.

Cardinal box scores

NATIONAL AT SAN DIEGO

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	BI
Brock lf	5	1	2	2
Melendez rf	5	0	0	0
Torre 3b	4	1	2	0
Simmons 1b	3	1	1	0
Segui p	3	1	1	0
McCarver c	4	0	0	0
JCruz cf	3	1	1	3
Tyson 2b	3	0	2	0
Kelleher ss	4	0	1	0
Gibson p	3	1	2	0
Reitz 3b	1	0	0	0
Total	35	5	11	5

SAN DIEGO	AB	R	H	BI
DThomas ss	5	1	1	0
Grubb cf	4	2	4	1
Lee lf	5	0	3	2
Colbert 1b	4	0	2	1
Gaston rf	5	0	0	0
Kendall c	5	0	1	0
Campbell 2b	4	0	2	0
Hilton 3b	2	0	0	0
Kirby p	1	0	0	0
Caldwell p	0	0	0	0
Murrell ph	1	1	0	0
Ross p	0	0	0	0
Marshall ph	1	0	0	0
Troedson p	0	0	0	0
Morales ph	1	0	0	0
BMiller p	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	4	13	4

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San Diego 100 020 100—4

E—Torre. DP—St. Louis 1, San Diego 2. LOB—St. Louis 6, San Dieg 11. 2B—Kelleher, Grubb, Lee. 3B—D.Thomas, Grubb. HR—Brock (1), J.Cruz (3). SB—Hilton. S—Hilton.

	IP	H	R	ER
Gibson	6	10	3	2
Segui	3	3	1	1
Kirby	2 2-3	8	5	5
Caldwell	2 1-3	2	0	0
Ross	1	1	0	0
Troedson	2	0	0	0
B.Miller	1	0	0	0

Save—Segui (1). W—Gibson (1-3). L—Kirby (1-5. T—2:38. A—5,690.

A five-run third inning and some clutch relief pitching by Diego Segui enabled Gibson to post his initial 1973 triumph after three setbacks. However, the veteran hurler left after six innings when he strained a muscle in his lower back.

He turned a 5-3 lead over to Segui thanks to Lou Brock's two-run homer and a three-run shot by Jose Cruz, both off Clay Kirby. Segui yielded u San Diego run in the seventh but retired Nate Colbert, Clarence Gaston and Fred Kendall after the first two Padres reached safely in the ninth, notching the final two outs with runners at first and third.

Al Oliver's third-inning sacrifice fly and strong relief pitching by Jim Rooker and Dave Giusti enabled Pittsburgh to beat San Francisco and stop a six-game slide.

Willie Davis slugged two home runs, a double and a single and Don Sutton hurled a six-hitter as Los Angeles halted the Cubs. The Chicago run was unearned and Sutton has yielded only one earned run in his last 40 2-3 innings, lowering his earned run average to 1.59.

Bob Watson collected a home run and a single and drove in three runs as the red-hotsHouston Astros ran their winning streak to five games and made it 10 wins in their last 12. Watson's solo homer in the sixth inning snapped a tie and started loser Jim Lonborg, 1-4, on his way to the bullpen.

Montreal's Mike Jorgensen rapped a pair of run-scoring singles off Atlanta's Pat Dobson, including the game-winning hit in the fifth inning. Ernie McAnally went the route for the Expos, allowing nine hits.

Cepeda hits 6th HR

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Anywhere Orlando Cepeda hangs his bat is home.

Long a muscleman in the National League, the "Baby Bull" has found a home—and a new life—in the American League as a designated hitter with the Boston Red Sox.

Cepeda continued to flourish in his new surroundings with his sixth home run of the year, a grand slam job, that helped the Red Sox whip the Texas Rangers 6-2 Wednesday night.

"Every homer feels good," said Cepeda about his dramatic shot that capped a five-run third inning. "But home runs don't mean anything unless you win.

In the other American League games, the Kansas City Royals trimmed the New York Yankees 4-3; the Californiu Angels defeated the Detroit Tigers 5-3; the Oakland A's bested the Milwaukee Brewers 7-3 in 10 innings; the Cleveland Indians turned back the Minnesota Twins 8-4 in 10 innings and the Chicago White Sox blanked the Baltimore Orioles 4-0.

National League scores: Pittsburgh 2, San Francisco 1; Houston 9, Philadelphia 4; Cincinnati 6, New York 1; Montreal 3, Atlanta 2; Los Angeles 4, Chicago 1 and St. Louis 5, San Diego 4.

Cepeda has not only been hitting homers for Boston, he's been hitting for average, too. The brawny Cepeda, also known as "Cha Cha" for his love of bouncy music, is hitting at a hot .347 clip with 25 hits, four of them doubles. Cepeda has knocked in 17 runs and scored 12.

Ed Kirkpatrick drove in two runs with a sixth-inning double as Kansas City ended New York's four-game winning streak behind the pitching of Paul Splittorff and Gene Garber.

Art Kusnyer doubled home the tie-breaking run in the 12th inning and then scored on Sandy Alomar's sacrifice fly as California defeated slumping Detroit. The Tigers have dropped seven of their last nine games.

Gene Tenace completed a four-run uprising in the 10th inning with a three-run homer as Oakland trimmed Milwaukee. Prior to Tenace's smash, Reggie Jackson had knocked in the go-ahead run with a fielderschoice bouncer.

"I'm not a home run hitter," insisted Tenace, although the figures belie his statement. He's had seven so far this season.

Leo Cardenas, a former Minnesota shortstop, delivered a tie-breaking, two-run single as Cleveland scored four times in the 10th inning and handed Minnesota its fifth straight defeat.

Wilbur Wood pitched his third straight shutout with a six-hitter and became the major league's first six-game winner as Chicago beat Baltimore. Wood, 6-2, extended his scoreless inning streak to 28.

Giants trouble Knicks

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The New York Knicks must conquer the mountain to beat the Los Angeles Lakers for the National Basketball Association championship—and they know it.

Towering Wilt Chamberlain, at 7-feet-1, proved the dominant factor in the opener won by the Lakers 115-112 over the Knicks, and he could be the same here tonight in the second game of the best-of-seven series.

Chamberlain's domination of the boards—with the aid of seven-footer Mel Counts—forced the Knicks into an outside shooting situation.

"With Counts and Chamberlain in the lineup, it really gives them a lot of versatility," commented Knick center Willis Reed, the NBA's most valuable player when New York beat the Lakers for the title three years ago.

"Wilt can come out and challenge our shooters and Counts can stay inside and rebound," said Reed.

Chamberlain blocked seven New York shots and had six assists, most for the Lakers, in the opening game. Reed, Jerry Lucas and Phil Jackson all worked against him, to little avail. At 36, Chamberlain led the league in rebounds with 1,084 during the regular season and hauled down 290 in the two opening playoff sets.

Against the Knicks, he hauled down 20 rebounds and forced the New Yorkers to the hazardous offense of shooting long. In the fourth period, Dave DeBusschere and Bill Bradley did hit from outside with regularity, so the Lakers, who led by 20 points with slightly more than a minute to go in the third quurter, had to hang on for the three-point triumph.

"The fact we closed to within three points makes no difference," commented DeBusschere. "The fact remains we are 0-1."

ABA series tied

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — The Indiana Pacers won't know until gametime whether center Mel Daniels will be able to play in tonight's third American Basketball Association championship playoff game against Kentucky.

Daniels injured his lower back in warmups before Monday night's game at Louisville, which the Colonels won, 114-102, to tie the best-of-7 series at one game apiece.

The 6-foot-9 center played 35 minutes that night despite the injury but his back stiffened after the game. He was still stiff and sore in practice Wednesday.

"We just won't know whether he can play until after he warms up," said Pacer Coach Bobby Leonard. "Obviously, if he can't it's going to be a long, long road for us."

If Daniels can't start, Leonard plans to move 6-9 Darnell Hillman into the middle against Kentucky's giant 7-2 Artis Gilmore, who accounted for 29 points, 26 rebounds and seven blocked shots Monday.

Secretariat favorite

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — Favored Secretariat seems better prepared for the Kentucky Derby than Riva Ridge did before he won last year, says the man who rides both Meadow Stable colts.

"This horse worked better Tuesday morning than Riva did for the Derby last year," jockey Ron Turcotte said after working Secretariat five-eighths of a mile on a sloppy track in 58 3-5 seconds.

Turcotte also worked Angle Light five-eighths in 59 flat. Angle Light and Secretariat are trained by Lucien Laurin, but Angle Light is owned by Edwin Whittaker.

Others expected to be entered today for Saturday's 99th running of the $125,000-added, 1¼mile Derby included Sham, Gold Bag, Restless Jet, Impercunious, Warbucks, My Gallant, Shecky Greene, Navajo, Forego, Royal and Regal, Our Native and Twice a Prince.

Post time for the Derby at Churchill Downs is 5:40 p.m. EDT. CBS will provide television coverage from 5-6 p.m. and radio coverage from 5:255:45 p.m.

Laurin and Mrs. Helen Tweedy, operator of Meadow Stable, missed Secretariat's workout. Laurin and Mrs. Tweedy drove from the stable area to the grandstand to watch the work but were late because Laurin had difficulty finding a gate that was open.

But both were satisfied with the workout time and were confident that Secretariat will be their second straight Derby winner, something that hasn't happened since trainer Jimmy Jones and Calumet Farm won with Iron Liege in 1958 and Tim Tam in 1959.

SPORTS

By The Associated Press

HOCKEY

QUEBEC — Veteran goaltender Jacques Plante, most recently with the National Hockey League Boston Bruins, signed a 10-year contract as general manager and head coach of the Quebec Nordiques of the World Hockey Association.

FOOTBALL

PITTSBURGH — THe Pittsburgh Steelers traded veteran corner-back Lee Calland to the Oakland Raiders for an undisclosed draft choice.

BUFFALO — The Buffalo Bills of the National Football League acquired four-year veterans Clem Turner and Jack Gehrke from the Denver Broncos in exchange for an undisclosed draft choice.

BASEBALL

PHILADELPHIA — Philadelphia Phillies' first baseman Deron Johnson was traded to the Oakland Atletics for minor league outfielder-third baseman Jacks Bastable.

BASKETBALL

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. — Jack Ankerson, 31, formerly of the executive staff of the Kentucky Colonels, was named general manager of the San Antonio team of the American Basketball Association.

TENNIS

BAS HOMBURG, Germany — Linda Tuero, Metarie, La., downed Duck-Hee Lee 6-1, 7-5 as the U.S. team scored a 2-1 victory over South Korea and moved into the quarter-finals against West Germany in Federation Cup tennis competition.

Standings

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American League East

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Milwaukee	10	10	.500	—
Baltimore	10	11	.476	1/2
New York	10	11	.476	1/2
Cleveland	10	12	.455	1
Detroit	10	12	.455	1
Boston	8	11	.421	1 1/2

West

Chicago	12	5	.706	—
Kansas City	14	9	.609	1
California	11	8	.579	2
Minnesota	9	9	.500	3 1/2
Oakland	10	12	.455	4 1/2
Texas	7	11	.389	5 1/2

Wednesday's Games

Kansas City 4, New York 3
Boston 6, Texas 2
California 5, Detroit 3, 12 innings
Oakland 7, Milwaukee 3, 10 innings
Cleveland 8, Minnesota 4, 10 innings
Chicago 4, Baltimore 0

Thursday's Games

No games scheduled

Friday's Games

California at Baltimore, N
Oakland at Cleveland, N
Kansas City at Milwaukee, N
Boston at Minnesota, N
New York at Chicago, N
Texas at Detroit, N

National League East

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Chicago	12	9	.571	—
New York	12	9	.571	—
Pittsburgh	9	7	.563	1/2
Montreal	9	11	.450	2 1/2
Philadelphia	9	11	.450	2 1/2
St. Louis	4	16	.200	7 1/2

West

San Francisco	19	7	.731	—
Cincinnati	14	8	.636	3
Houston	16	10	.615	3
Los Angeles	12	12	.500	6
San Diego	8	16	.333	10
Atlanta	7	15	.318	10

Wednesday's Games

Pittsburgh 2, San Francisco 1
Houston 9, Philadelphia 4
Cincinnati 6, New York 1
Montreal 3, Atlanta 2
St. Louis 5, San Diego 4
Los Angeles 4, Chicago 1

Thursday's Games

Cincinnati (McGlothlin 1-0) at New York (Matlack 2-3), N
Chicago (Reuschel 2-1) at Los Angeles (Messersmith 1-2), N
St. Louis (Cleveland 0-3) at San Diego (Greif 1-1), N
Pittsburgh (Briles 0-2) at San Francisco (Willoughby 2-1), N

Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

Atlanta at Philadelphia, N
St. Louis at Los Angeles, N
Houston at New York, N
Cincinnati at Montreal, N
Pittsburgh at San Diego, N
Chicago at San Francisco, N

Leaders

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING 35 at bats— P. Kelly, Chi, .487; Valentine, Cal, .397.

RUNS— Patek, KC, 20; Mayberry, KC, 18; Otis, KC, 18.

RUNS BATTED IN— Mayberry, KC, 20; Cepeda, Bsn, 17.

HITS— Valentine, Cal, 31; Munson, NY, 29; Rojas, KC, 29.

DOUBLES— Rojas, KC, 8; Kirkpatrick, KC, 7.

TRIPLES— E. Brinkman, Det, 3; Hisle, Min, 3.

HOME RUNS— Tenace, Oak, 7; Fisk, Bsn, 6; Cepeda, Bsn, 6; Spikes, Cle, 6; Melton, Chi, 6.

STOLEN BASES— North, Oak, 8; Alomar, Cal, 6; Valentine, Cal, 6; Patek, KC, 6.

PITCHING— 3 Decisions— Paul, Tex, 3- 0, 1.000, 3.04; Coleman, Det, 5- 1, .833, 2.08.

STRIKEOUTS— N. Ryan, Cal, 61; G. Perry, Cle, 38; Singer, Cal, 38.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

BATTING 35 at bats- Maddox, SF, .392; Stargell, Pgh, .382.

RUNS— Wynn, Htn, 22; Bonds, SF, 21.

RUNS BATTED IN— Watson, Htn, 19; Stargell, Pgh, 18; Concepcion, Cin, 18.

HITS— Fuentes, SF, 34; Bonds, SF, 34.

DOUBLES— Cedeno, Htn, 11; Bonds, SF, 10.

TRIPLES— Maddox, SF, 3.

HOME RUNS— Wynn, Htn, 8; Stargell, Pgh, 7; H. Aaron, Atl, 7.

STOLEN BASES— Morgan, Cin, 11; Cedeno, Htn, 9.

PITCHING 3 Decisions— Koosman, NY, 4- 0, 1.000, 1.06; Billingham, Cin, 4- 0, 1.000, 2.78.

STRIKEOUTS— Carlton, Phi, 46; Sutton, LA, 45.

Pro basketball

By the Associated Press

NBA

Best- of- 7 series

All Times EDT

Championship Finals

Wednesday's Games

No games scheduled

Thursday's Games

New York at Los Angeles, 10:30 p.m., national TV, Los Angeles leads 1- 0

Friday's Games

No games scheduled

ABA

Best- of- 7 series

All Times EDT

Championship Finals

Wednesday's Games

No games scheduled

Thursday's Games

Kentucky at Indiana, 9:10 p.m., series tied 1- 1

Friday's Games

No games scheduled

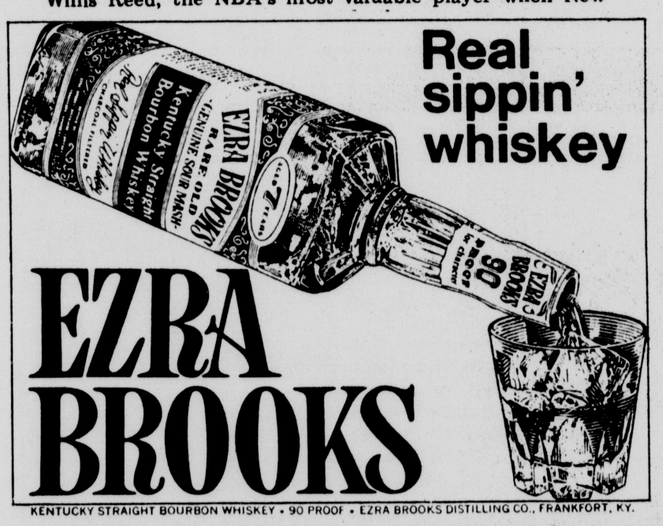
SPORTS

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

EVANSVILLE, Ind. (AP) — Assumption, Long Beach State and Kent State will compete in the University of Evansville's 18th holiday basketball tournament Dec. 28-29, Evansville head Coach Arad McCutchan announced Wednesday.

MADISON, Wis. (AP) — Bob Bell, assistant athletic director at the University of Wisconsin, has resigned effective June 30, Athletic Director Elroy Hirsch said Wednesday. Bell, 40, cited personal reasons for leaving the job. He has been assistant AD since 1971, after serving in a similar post at UCLA.

CHARLOTTE, N.C.(AP) — Floyd M. "Coach" Simmons, who coached strong Davidson College football teams in the early 1900s, died Wednesday at the age of 90.



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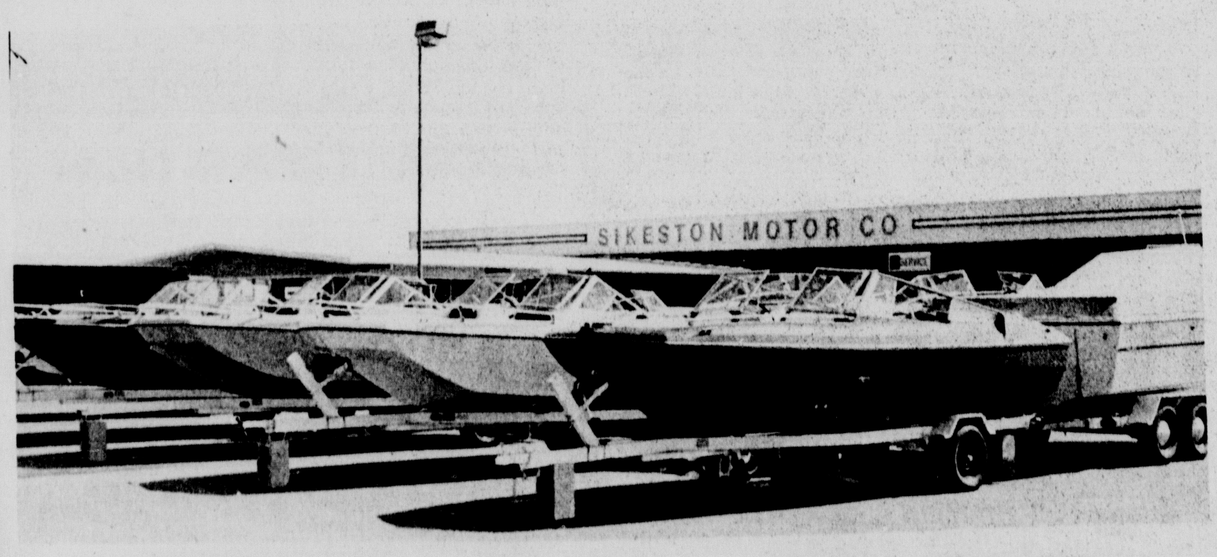

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Charleston loses

CHARLESTON — The Charleston Blue Jays fell victim to Poplar Bluff, 8-0, Wednesday afternoon. Steve Jones shut out the Jays allowing them only three hits. He also struck out eight of the batters.

Action was slow during the first few innings. The Mules kicked off the top of the third, though, and opened up for five runs. The bats were quiet once again, until the final inning, when Poplar Bluff succeeded in bringing across three more runs.

Tutti Hayes led the Mules to the win with four RBI's.

Charleston now holds a 3-4 record and will go against Cairo at Bertrand Thursday afternoon.

Box Score:

POPLAR BLUFF (8)	AB	R	H
Blackman, ss	3	1	1
Holt, 2b	4	1	1
T. Hayes, c	2	1	0
Hayes, cf	3	1	1
Hargeh, 3b	3	1	1
Williams, 3b	3	0	0
Persons, lf	2	0	0
Brown, rf	2	0	0
Jones, p	2	1	1
J. Jones, lf	2	0	0
Robertson, rf	2	0	0
Grange, ph	1	1	0
Pennington, ph	1	0	1
Moe, 3b	1	1	0
Totals	31	8	6
CHARLESTON (3)			
Greigs, ss	2	0	1
Schott, 2b	2	0	1
Hatchet, cf	2	0	0
Smith, 3b	3	0	1
Ritchey, 3b	3	0	0
DeLay, rf	2	0	0
Patnam, lf	1	0	0
Medlock, c	1	0	0
Bailey, p	1	0	0
Langkite, ss	1	0	0
Johnson, lf	1	0	0
Quertermous, p	1	0	0
McKenney	1	0	0
Hastey, lf	1	0	0
Collier, c	1	0	0
Totals	23	0	3

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A's trade Bastable

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — "If you got to go, it's good to go with a team that has a chance to win it all," said Deron Johnson.

The 33-year-old Johnson was dealt by the Philadelphia Phillies to the Oakland Athletics Wednesday for rookie third baseman Jack Bastable.

"It's a break for me," said Johnson, after learning he would join the A's, last year's World Series champions.

Johnson, who in 10 years as a major league player has been with the New York Yankees, Kansas City A's, Cincinnati, Atlanta and Philadelphia, expects a chance to make the Oakland team, rather than be used only as a designated hitter.

"They talked to me about being a designated hitter, but said they wanted to see me play first base," Johnson said.

Johnson was hitting .167 with one home run and five runs batted in in 12 games this season for the Phillies. He was sidelined most of last season with a nerve ailment in his left foot. In 1971, however, he hit 34 home runs and had 95 RBI.

SPORTS

HILTON HEAD ISLAND, S.C. — Top-seeded Margaret Court, Australia, defeated Kathy Kuykendall, Miami, 6-4, 6-2 in the first round of the Family Circle Professional Women's Tennis Tournament.

GOLF

PINEHURST, N.C. — Bill Harvey defeated defending champion Danny Edwards, and Stan Stopa eliminated two former winners, Tom Draper and Bill Campbell, to share the lead in North and South Amateur Golf Tournament play.

BOWLING

GARDEN CITY, N.Y. — Patty Costello, New Carrollton, Md., amassed a 1,380 series and took the lead in the $30,000 U.S. Women's Open Bowling Tournament.

Among the major leaguers who played for new Phillie manager Danny Ozark are Jim Lefebvre, Ken McMullen and Pete Richert.

Former Syracuse trainer, Gene Monahan, is the new trainer for the New York Yankees. He succeeds Joe Soares who retired after holding the post since 1961.

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Hahs, Buchanan win sub-district

Sikeston netters David Hahs and Brad Buchanan will advance to the district tennis tournament Saturday at Cape Girardeau by virtue of their semi- final victory in the doubles event Wednesday in the Kennett subdistrict tennis battle- offs.

Coach John Heacox's racketmen and the Poplar Bluff netmen tied in total team points and became subdistrict co- champs. Each squad totaled 9.5 points with Kennett capturing eight team points.

In singles play, Kennett's Terry Mills and Neal Davis emerged as semifinalists as they turned back Sikeston's Jeff Robey and Matt Matthews respectively in second round action. Robey had topped second- seeded Greg Wilson of Caruthersville and Rick Garmon of Poplar Bluff to advance to his match with Mills, only to drop straight 6-3, 6-1 sets to the KHS volleyman.

Matthew drew a first round bye and then battled the district's top tennis player, Davis. Even though the two played just two sets which Davis won 6-2, 6-3, the match was one of the longest of the day because nearly every game went deuce several times before it was decided. A special commendation should go out to the SHS junior netter, as he battled what many people consider a state finalist in Davis.

Hahs and Buchanan of Sikeston and York and Williams of Poplar Bluff were the distirct qualifiers in the doubles event.

The Sikeston duo handily defeated their three challengers from Kennett, Malden, and Poplar Bluff to advance into district play and try to defend their 1972 doubles crown.

PBHS' York and Williams advanced into the semi-finals by taking a struggling Sikeston team of Bill Lewis and Bill Colwick in third round action. Lewis and Colwick could not complete a good first serve which eventually led to their downfall.

In the Flat River subdistrict, the Farmington Knights won the team championship with 11.5 points followed by Cape Central's 7.5 tallies.

The singles contestants that will be advancing to district play at Cape Saturday are Fitz of Farmington and Frentz of DeSoto.

Cape's number one doubles team, Fallert and Weaks, will be representing CCHS and Farmington's duo of Thomas and Johnson will make up the other qualifying doubles competitor.

District golf meet Monday at Bluff

POPLAR BLUFF— The Missouri State High School Athletic Association District Golf Tournament will be held May 7 at the Westwood Hills Country Club with 15 4-man teams seeking the title.

A coaches' meeting will be held at 11:30 a.m. and a players' meeting at 11:45 a.m. District play will be 18 holes starting at noon.

Players may practice from 10:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. with one ball only. No practice putting will be allowed on the regular greens. A practice green and driving range are available.

Two teams will qualify for the State tournament at Columbia on May 18-19. Two low individuals unless members of the two low teams will qualify for the State meet.

Poplar Bluff is the defending District champion. William Welden of Perryville High School is the individual defending District champion with a 73 last season.

Tom Hoover, assistant principal of Poplar Bluff High School, is the tournament manager.

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NO. 1 TEE

12:00 noon	Fred Copeland, New Madrid
	William Welden, Perryville
	Craig Schnurbusch, Farmington
	Brad Locke, Poplar Bluff
12:08 p.m.	Jeff Hutton, Cape Central
	Dennis Meyer, Sikeston
	John Vogel, St. Vincent
	David McMurray, Poplar Bluff
12:16 p.m.	Ben Cantrell, Caruthersville
	Fred Mathews, Kennett
	Michael Schamburg, Perryville
	Joe Schaper, Northwest
12:24 p.m.	Steve Carron, St. Vincent
	Chris Miltenberger, Kennett
	Alton Southerland, Dexter
	Pete Godwin, Poplar Bluff
12:32 p.m.	Ron Fischer, Cape Central
	Vic Trammell, Dexter
	Greg Stumpf, Northwest
12:40 p.m.	Nicky Arnold, Malden
	Stuart Selves, Kennett
	John Prost, St. Vincent
	Keith Inman, Caruthersville
	John Pettet, Poplar Bluff
12:48 p.m.	Mike Logel, Cape Central
	Don Downing, Kennett
	Jim Shaner, Farmington
	Mark Shaw, Sikeston
12:56 p.m.	John Brewer, Perryville
	Pat Prost, St. Vincent
	Dave Blankenship, Cape Central
	Bruce Vancil, Dexter
1:04 p.m.	John Useted, Dexter
	Billy Cohen, Malden
	Chris Crysler, Caruthersville
	Doug Kure, Farmington

NO. 10 TEE

12:00 noon	Shelton Sago, Flat River
	Greg Ajemian, North Country
	Jim Boyd, Caruthersville
	Ben Ashley, New Madrid
12:08	Mike Moll, Malden
	Mark Oberdeck, Northwest
	Mike Menne, Arcadia Valley
	Robert Heuring, Perryville
12:16	Mark Phillips, New Madrid
	Bill Wake, Sikeston
	Mike Ledbetter, Farmington
	Donald Lee, Flat River
12:24	Tom Evans, Northwest
	Mike Moore, North County
	Tom Maguffee, Arcadia Valley
	Galen Kruger, Sikeston
12:32	Mark Dayhoff, North County
	Jon Manning, Arcadia Valley
	Greg Leet, Flat River
	Robin Leuckel, Malden
12:40	Joe Dunlap, North County
	Bill Miller, Arcadia Valley
	Don Hodson, Flat River
	Craig Hunter, New Madrid

Rough game

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — "They allow mayhem out there," Coach Bob Cousy said Wednesday night after his U. S. team easily whipped Russia 83-67to take a 2-1 lead in their six-game exhibition basketball series.

Cousy obviously was pleased with the victory, but his Russian counterpart, Vladimir Kondrashin, was not. The coach refused to talk to the press after the game and refused to allow his players to.

Cousy's use of the term mayhem was considerable understatement to most observers of the rugged game. Elbows and hips flew abundantly, and there were nearly fights when tempers flared.

UCLA's Swen Nater, who was called a "dirty player" by Kondrashin earlier in the week, nearly tangled twice with Ivan Dvornii.

Each took exception to the other's conduct toward smaller players. Nater is 7 feet tall and weighs 250 pounds. Dvornii is 69½ and weighs 242.

Referee Martti Huhtamaki of Finland warned each player about his conduct several times.

Aleksei Shukshin got a bloody nose in the first half, and he was taken out of the game with a leg injury after Nater knocked him down late in the second half. Salnikov was temporarily blinded after Jim Oxley of the U.S. Army stuck a finger in his eye.

Cousy said the highly partisan crowd of more than 15,000 contributed to the victory: "It's tough for the Russians to play before crowds like that. We had the team ready to tear down the dressing room doors when they went out for the game, and the crowd kept the adrenalin pumping."

Hitting 55 per cent of their shots, the U.S. players ran up an 18-point advantage before slipping to a 13-point margin at halftime.

4-ball at N.M.

NEW MADRID — The New Madrid Country Club will host a two- day four- ball golf tournament May 26-27.

There will be four classes including Championship, A.B, and C. The tournament will be limited to 60 teams or closing date of May 20, whichever comes first.

There will be $1200 in prize money plus trophies for the winners.

Entry fees will be $15.00 per person and $30.00 per team and must be mailed to Hal Hunter at the New Madrid Courthouse. Zip Code 63869.

Oran wins opener

ORAN — The Southeast Missouri Softball league season opened Wednesday night. Jackson traveled to Oran, braving the muddy field, only to be dropped 7-0.

Donny Roberts pitched the shutout. Jackson found Roberts to be tough competition as he allowed only one hit and fanned 10. T. Trankler suffered the loss for Jackson.

Oran supplied steady power at the bat, as their runs were evenly distributed throughout the game. The first scores came across in the first inning, to make it 2-0. The edge was opened somewhat during the third when they picked up an additional two runs. The final three markers came in the last of the sixth and Oran had their first win of the new season.

Dannenmueller had the only extra basehit with a triple.

New Hamburg falls

KELSO — Kelso picked up their first win in the Southeast Missouri Softball League Wednesday night when they defeated New Hamburg 8-5.

Kenny Russell, the winning pitcher, had two hits, one being a double. Norm Essnur also had two hits, for Kelso.

Kelso was first on the scoreboard when they brought in three runs in the first inning. New Hamburg came back during the second to close the gap, scoring two. Kelso continued consistent playing, bringing in two more runs but could not stop New Hamburg, as they too, scored two.

Kelson gained a further edge on Hamburg when they sneaked acrosss a single run during the sixth inning. Hamburg's last attempt at the plate could not produce the needed score to break out for thywin and so fell to Kelso in the opening game.

D. Kirn was the losing pitcher. He managed to strike out nine and also hit a round tripper.

Rematch near

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Los Angeles is the probable site and Sept. 10 or 11 the likely date for a rematch between heavyweight fighters Muhammad Ali and Ken Norton, the San Diego Union said today.

The newspaper quoted informed sources as saying Lee Fruin, who promoted the first Ali-Norton fight here March 31, has "bailed out" of negotiations for a second fight.

Fruin's withdrawal would eliminate San Diego as a location. Other possibilities are New York, Las Vegas, Nev., and Houston.

Promoter Don Fraser was to meet with representatives of both sides in New York today in an attempt to sign the bout for the Forum in Inglewood, a suburb of Los Angeles.

Mules win, 9-1

BERNIE-- Reuben White smacked a homerun to supply the power and lefty Dell Walker supplied the pitching as the Mules swept past the Risco Tigers 9- 1 here Wednesday afternoon.

The Mules put their bats to work in the bottom of the first inning and chased six runs across the plate before the side could be retired.

The Mules scored single runs in the second, fourth and sixth innings while the Tigers pushed across their run in the sixth.

Bernie reached Andy Smelser, the losing pitcher for ten hits while Walker limited the Tigers to five singles. Walker also contributed a triple to the attack and held his season's batting average at the .600 mark. The win put the Bernie team to 7- 1 for the year.

BERNIE (9) Player	AB	R	H
Baker cf	4	1	1
Carson ss	3	1	1
White c	4	2	1
Walker p	3	2	2
Fears rf	3	1	1
Jennings 2b	2	1	2
Smothers lf	2	1	1
Stuever 1b	3	0	1
Stanfill 3b	3	0	0
Totals	27	9	10

RISCO (1) Player	AB	R	H
Byrd lf	3	0	0
Wilson ss	3	0	1
Smelser p	2	1	1
Bates c	2	0	1
Rawlings 3b	3	0	1
McCord 2b	3	0	1
Peterson 3b	2	0	0
Sweney rf	3	0	0
May cf	3	0	0
Totals	24	1	5

Risco	0000010—1
Bernie	6101010x—9

Tigers advance

ALTON-- Neelyville, Van Buren, and Elsinore advanced to the second round of the District 9 baseball tournament here Wednesday afternoon.

Carl Patty pitched the Neelyville Tigers past Summersville 8- 1 as Bill Hampton took the loss. Ron Jackson slammed a homerun for Summersville.

Elsinore had a rough time before edgeing Thayer 7- 6 as Mike Curtis picked up the win.

Van Buren scored three runs in the top of the sixth inning to pull out the victory over Winona 4- 1 behind the hurling of Carl Nicholson. Nicholson gave up only two hits and struckout 15 batters enroute to the victory.

Max Ross hit a homerun in the first inning for the Bulldogs and Winona tied the score at 1- 1 in the bottom of the fifth. Tom Haynes took the loss. Ross batted in three of the four runs for Van Buren.

SPORTS

VANCOUVER, B.C. (AP) — The British Columbia Lions of the Canadian Football League announced today that three offensive linemen have signed 1973 contracts with the club.

Contracts were signed by Robert Brown of the University of Tampa, Robbie Allen of Bishop's University and Bob Currie of the University of Hawaii. Currie played three games for the Lions in 1972.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J. (AP) — Rutgers University has signed Tom Young, who compiled a 61-37 record as coach at American University, in Washington, D.C., to head the basketball program at the New Jersey state university.

The announcement of Young's four-year appointment was made Monday. Terms were not disclosed.

A graduate of the University of Maryland, Young put together 12 winning records in 13 seasons of coaching at American and Catholic universities.

DETROIT (AP) — The Detroit Red Wings of the National Hockey League plan to announce their new coach today, with Ted Garvin of the Port Huron farm team a strong contender for the job.

Johnny Wilson was fired from the post April 13 and Garvin's name came into view almost immediately afterwards. Wing General Manager Ned Harkness talked with Garvin last week and the two met team owner Bruce Norris in New York afterwards.

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) — A 10-year-old mare brought $38,000, the top price in the annual Tattersall's spring sale of horses at Lexington.

Carter Duer, as agent, purchased the mare, Nicama, from the estate of Ray Forsyth, which had nine horses in the sale.

The 136 horses sold in the spring sale brought an average of $3,119 each.

CLEVELAND (AP) — Cleveland Cavalier Coach Bill Fitch is working in a new expanded role today for the National Basketball Association draft.

Fitch was given the added duties of general manager Monday night. He has been coach and director of player personnel since the Cavs was founded three years ago.

Cavalier President Nick J. Mileti, who has also held the title of general manager, said Fitch "has earned the right to increased responsibility with the Cavs' organization.

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Deodato Steps Out from Back Stage

By MARY CAMPBELL
AP Newsfeatures Writer

"Also Sprach Zarathustra," written by Richard Strauss, arranged by a 29-year-old Brazilian, Eumir Deodato, and played by a 10-man group called Deodato, sat at No. 4 on the best-selling pop singles chart for three weeks, ending April 7.

Deodato isn't a household word, or wasn't until "Zarathustra," having been, in his words, "back stage" in the record business. In fact, he was the arranger of the B side, "Just Like a Woman," of the Roberta Flack record, "Killing Me Softly with his Song," that stayed ahead of "Zarathustra" on the best-selling chart.

His single is from the LP, "Prelude/Deodato" on CTI Records and there was no thought of shortening that track and putting it out as a single until various disc jockeys started doing it. Deodato thinks now it may be the biggest hit single a Brazilian artist has had in the United States; the next he thinks is Sergio Mendez's "Look of Love."

Deodato hadn't played piano for seven years when he performed "Zarathustra" at the Hollywood Bowl at a concert the record company was giving to show its artists. The favorable response brought about the recording and the recording has now brought Deodato to the decision to be a performer instead of solely a writer and arranger. And he has determined to do whatever is necessary to establish a level and maintain it — promotion tours, interviews and touring to give concerts with the 10-man group. The group is different from the people on the recording; most of them were part of other groups.

In Rio de Janeiro, where Deodato was born, he went to college for three years, studying engineering, and at the same time played organ and piano behind a popular singer, having done all the arrangements for the show. "I was playing in nightclubs, through around 3 in the morning every day, with Mondays off. I was having to wake up at 7 to get to school, having lunch at school and going to the lab for experiments. Whenever I could get back home I would get some sleep. That gave me a premature ulcer." It also led him to quit college, quit performing and move to New York, which he did permanently in 1970.

"I think New York, Tokyo, Paris and maybe London are places where you can base yourself and still do things all

EUMIR DEODATO

over the world. But every time I have a chance I try to escape and go to Brazil for a month or so.

"I was labeled a bossa nova arranger for many years here. I didn't get any other jobs. It got me worried for awhile. I thought it was going to be for life. Then Creed Taylor of CTI Records broke that label. He called me to do some arrangements for Wes Montgomery. At that time he was having a big hit. I got scared. I got sick for three months just on the thought of that. So Creed told me to do a few arrangements, not the whole album. I was so thrilled and so scared. I learned a lot. Creed gave me tremendous insight into record production and record making. After a while I started getting assignments with big singers. The more I was doing it the more I was learning, things like the elements that give a song a chance of being a hit."

Deodato likes to go camping and mentioned maybe buying a motor home or buying a boat.

One of the songs on the album is "Spirit of Summer," which Deodato wrote to enter in the 1970 Rio Song Festival. It got second prize. "Basically I used the same arrangement I used down there. It is a song that I think would sound nice in a movie. I intend to use it in a movie some time, as the theme." Deodato has scored a few movies but none lately because he hasn't been offered any script he likes. He would like to do some, using his 10-man group to perform.

Also on the LP is "Carly and Carole." "I was motivated by Carly Simon and Carole King. In a cab going to New Jersey for a recording session that melody came to my mind. Usually the best tunes I have come like that — they just come, the entire piece.

"After that I worked it out a little bit, changed a few things around. I kept it for a better opportunity, to record it.

"I use a cassette tape, so when I have some ideas, it could be in the middle of the night, I just go there and put it in. I find myself with half a dozen cassettes full of melodies and never have time to go through them to see what is useable. I whistle them, or hum.

"I believe the basic idea should be melody. If I go to the piano, I start to elaborate too much. Your fingers command you rather than your mind. It happens a lot with whoever plays keyboard. I don't write arrangements with the piano, either. Your fingers automatically go on certain chords. First on paper. Then go to piano; check it out. I've got my best arrangements like that, too.

"'September 13' on the album came about because we had studio time and we were having a break and the drummer was playing a nice beat, a great beat. I thought, 'Why don't we do something to it?' I shouted, 'Please record; don't ask the title!' I gave them a chord and it was pure jam.

"I took the tape home and listened to it very carefully. I marked down the number of bars. Whenever the drummer breaks I mark it down. Then I built a little melody that would fit exactly on certain spots. I just added horns and flutes to that tape; no more. I didn't change one note. We just used the title of the day we did it."

Touring has started already, with a week in Boston.

About his own piano work on "Also Sprach Zarathustra," Deodato says, "I don't have that much jazz technique; I don't have any piano jazz technique. The only thing I can do is play to the beat and do rhythmic phrases on piano, reinforce the beat in other words, follow the beat. It was no style or anything like that. It became a style.

"Again it proves that when you're trying to do something on purpose it never works out. Things become things. They never are. You can not predict them or provoke them."

Stamps In The News

AP Newsfeatures
By SYD KRONISH

Republic Day is a national holiday in Guyana.

That's the day the little country celebrates the anniversary of its independence and simultaneously hails the day many years ago when the slaves brought to Guyana (formerly called Guinea) struck their first blow for freedom.

To honor this occasion, Guyana has issued four new stamps featuring famous buildings within its borders. The 8 cent and 50 cent show pyramid-shape buildings called "Uman Yana," sometimes referred to as the meeting places of the people, much as the town halls of America are used.

The 25 cent and 40-cent stamps depict the Bethel Chapel, an historical landmark preserved by the government. This religious edifice is revered by the local populace.

In announcing this new set of stamps, postal authorities there proudly claimed: "Republic Day is but a reminder to the people of Guyana how fragile all freedoms are unless continuously observed."

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Although it may be confusing to some, the fact remains that there are two "Chinas" and both are issuing stamps for their respective countries.

Two album supplements for stamps of the People's Republic of China (Mainland) by Minkus Publications are now ready for collectors. Both consist of 72 pages. The first one is designed to fit the Master Global, Supreme Global, Comprehensive and World Wide Albums. It sells for $2.50. The second is for the Minkus Regional type album and sells for $3.50.

A third Mainland China supplement is in the works to be released late this year. This one will cover the stamps of North China and Northeast China.

The Chinese government on the island of Taiwan has just issued four new stamps hailing the traditional handcrafts of its people. One stamp illustrates a bamboo sailboat. Another stamp depicts a marble vase painted with flowers and a bird. The third adhesive pictures a landscape-decorated glass plate on a stand. The final stamp in this set has a doll dressed as a bridegroom carrying his bride on his back to their new home.

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The famed Robson Lowe's Encyclopedia of British Empire Stamps, Volume I (Great Britain and the Empire in Europe) which has long been out of print is being republished.

Volume I is being produced in two books totaling 468 pages within a gold cover. This edition covers in detail the philately of the British Empire in nine parts and may be purchased for $7.50 per volume directly from Robson Lowe Ltd., 50 Pall Mall, London, England.

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To herald the opening of INTERPEX (The International Philatelic Exhibition) in New York, nine of the participating governments issued new stamps. The countries included: Australia, Great Britain, British Virgin Islands, Canada, Guernsey, Isle of Man, Jersey, Liechtenstein, New Zealand, Papua-New Guinea, San Marino, United Nations, United States and Western Samoa.

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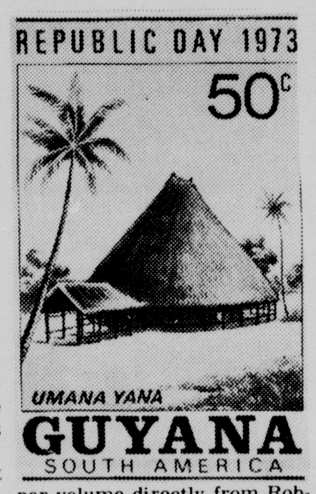

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(Sec. 473.587, RSMo.)
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SS)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI AT BENTON, MISSOURI
In the estate of)
C.A. BRAMLETT)
deceased.)
Estate No. 4063
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF C. A. Bramlett, deceased.

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SS)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)
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Charles D. Fausett)
deceased.)
Estate No. 4065
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471-2912
43-49-55-61

TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, THOMAS L. Oldham and Billie J. Oldham, his wife, by a certain Deed of Trust dated the 23 day of July, 1971, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of Scott and the State of Missouri, in Book 175, Page 605, conveyed to the undersigned Trustee the following described real estate situated in the County of Scott and State of Missouri, to wit:

The South 100 feet of Lots 15 and 16 of Block 9 in the Frisco Addition to the City of Sikeston, Scott County, Missouri.

Which conveyance was made to the undersigned in trust to secure the payment of a certain Promissory Note in said Deed specified; and

WHEREAS, on the 24th day of October, 1972, Jack R. Mitchell and Ayleen G. Mitchell, his wife, assumed and agreed to pay the debt secured by said Deed of Trust, and

WHEREAS, said note is now past due and remains unpaid default having been made in the payment of said note.

NOW, THEREFORE, at the request of the legal holder of said Note and in pursuance of the conditions of said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee will sell the property above described at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the Main Front door of the Circuit Court House in the City of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, on May 15, 1973, between the hours of 9:00 A. M., and 5:00 P. M., for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust.

Roberts T. Williams,
Trustee
43-49-55-61

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed fixed price proposals will be received by the City of Caruthersville, Missouri at the office of the City Clerk until 5 o'clock P.M. Daylight Savings Time, on May 21, 1973, for the construction of Water Treatment Plant Improvements including construction of a chemical storage and feed room, aerator enclosure, pumping equipment, instrumentation, heating, piping and other miscellaneous and appurtenant work.

Any and all proposals received after the time specified above will be returned unopened.

Copies of the Plans, Specifications and other Contract Documents are on file at the office of the City Clerk and of the Consulting Engineer, Buescher Frankenberg Associates, 301 East Main Street, Union, Missouri 63084. A set of the Documents may be obtained from the Engineer at the address stipulated above upon deposit of $25.00. The full amount of the deposit for one set only of such Documents will be refunded to each actual bidder making such deposit and who submits a proposal thereunder, upon the return of the Documents, and $10.00 of each other deposit will be refunded upon the return of all Documents covered thereby, within 30 days after the bids are opened.

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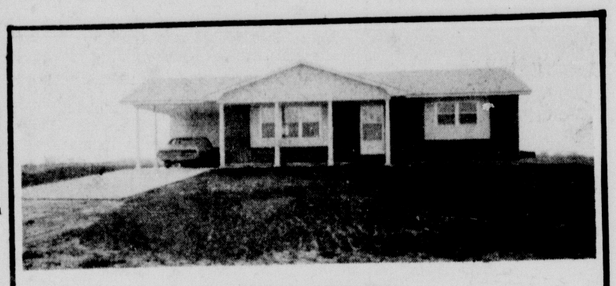

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NEW LISTING
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618 Dempster. Large 2200 sq. feet home - fully carpeted, central & heat - modern kitchen, dishwasher stove, oven, eating space - large living room - den - 3 bedrooms - lots of closets - large dining room - Home fully carpeted - large 2 car carport - electric eye door- 2 full baths - set on large lot - Price only $33,500

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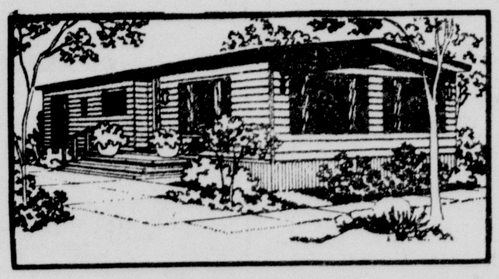

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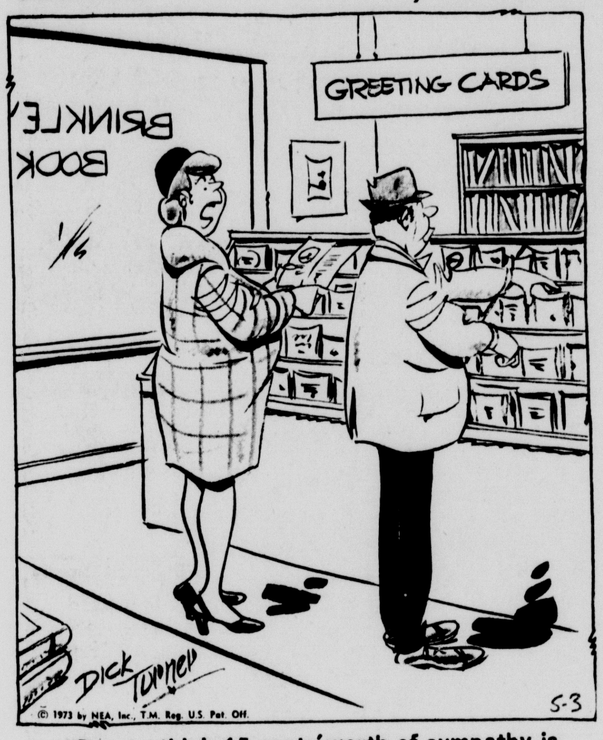

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SIDE GLANCES by Gill Fox

"Hello—Friendly Neighborhood Loan Company? I'd like to borrow a cup of money!"

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Friday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Build	31 Be	61 To
2 Erratic	32 To	62 Upon
3 If	33 Be	63 Important
4 There's	34 Good	64 Influential
5 Invest	35 Cause	65 Friend
6 Member	36 You	66 Is
7 Bring	37 Mental	67 And
8 Be	38 Don't	68 Agreements
9 People	39 Sex	69 Meaningful
10 Do	40 Abilities	70 Friends
11 Friends	41 Leases	71 Invitations
12 Foundation	42 Greatly	72 Sell
13 Conditions	43 Notice	73 People
14 You	44 Writing	74 Prepared
15 Change	45 Work	75 To
16 In	46 You	76 Grant
17 Of	47 Could	77 Favors
18 Yourself	48 Stimulation	78 Compliment
19 Alert	49 Depend	79 New
20 Will	50 Pays	80 Eventual
21 Things	51 Don't	81 Your
22 Will	52 And	82 Be
23 For	53 Impressed	83 Anyone's
24 May	54 Of	84 Yourself
25 Quarrel	55 Phoning	85 Short
26 And	56 In	86 Profit
27 Your	57 Special	87 Contacts
28 Opposite	58 With	88 Personality
29 Personally	59 Lose	89 Promises
30 Check	60 Extending	90 Nervous

Good Adverse 5/4 Neutral

ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19 — 64-65-66-74 75-76-77
TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20 — 11-22-33-44 55-60-71
GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20 — 7-18-32-43 54-63-73
CANCER JUNE 21 – JULY 22 — 3-14-25-36 47-59-70
LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22 — 4-15-26-37 48-56-79-87
VIRGO AUG. 23 – SEPT. 22 — 10-21-29-38 49-62-83-89
LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22 — 5-16-27-40 51-72-84-85
SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21 — 9-20-31-42 53-58-81-88
SAGITTARIUS NOV. 22 – DEC. 21 — 8-19-30-41 52-57-68
CAPRICORN DEC. 22 – JAN. 19 — 1-12-23-34 45-67-80-86
AQUARIUS JAN. 20 – FEB. 18 — 2-13-24-35 46-L-82-90
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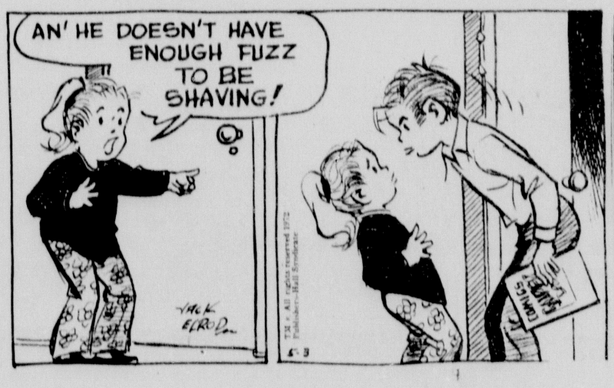

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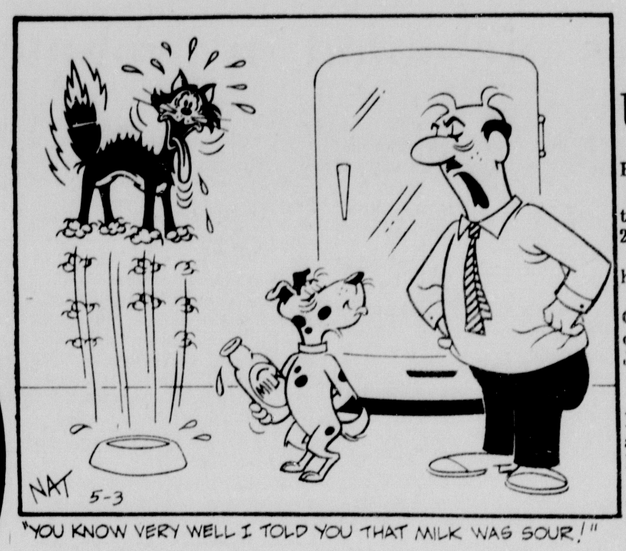

"YOU KNOW VERY WELL I TOLD YOU THAT MILK WAS SOUR!"

OUT OUR WAY by Neg Cochran

OUR BOARDING HOUSE with Major Hoople

People and Things

ACROSS

1 Eisenhower's nickname
4 Hardy heroine
8 American humorist
12 Century (ab.)
13 French girl friend
14 Iris layer (anat.)
15 Football position
16 Little by little
18 Sports enthusiasts (slang)
20 Takes a breather
21 Cowboy's nickname
22 Ripped
24 Tibetan monk
26 Patriarch of Alexandria
27 Golfer's term
30 Zoroastrian sacred books
32 Chemical hydrocarbon
34 Gloss
35 Fastened with brads
36 East (Fr.)
37 Clamps
39 Rots flax
40 Stratagem
41 Legal point
42 Lance
45 Relied on
49 Sympathetic
51 Food fish
52 Tropical plant
53 Feminine suffix
54 Educational group (ab.)
55 Fling
56 Peruse
57 Stray

DOWN

1 Froster of pastries
2 Gambling game
3 Provision for support
4 Records
5 Turkish title
6 Midday snooze
7 Dry, as wine
8 Cow's cud
9 Currier's partner
10 Tidy
11 Damsels (dial.)
17 Printing mistakes
19 Annoy
23 Uncloses
24 Bathe (poet.)
25 Birds (zool.)
26 Helen's abductor (legend)
27 Biblical region
28 The dill
29 Communists
31 Holding right
33 Engages for service
38 Small (Fr.)
40 Fits of anger
41 Governed
42 Begone!
43 Horseback game
44 Son of Seth (Bib.)
46 Polynesian chestnut
47 European river
48 Expensive
50 Saul's uncle (Bib.)

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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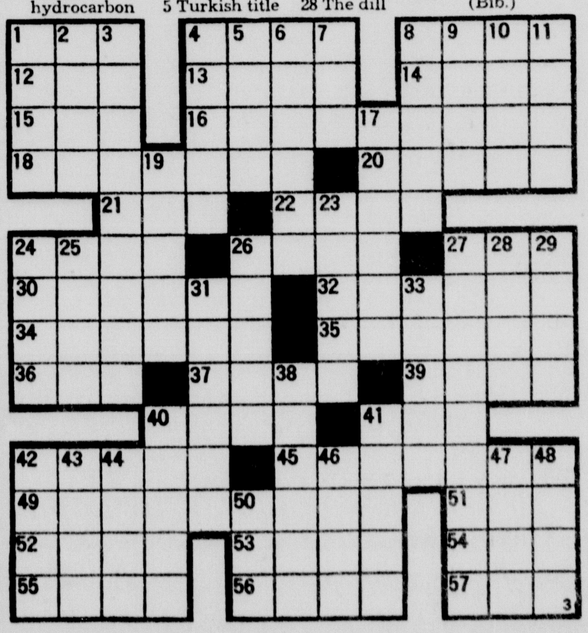

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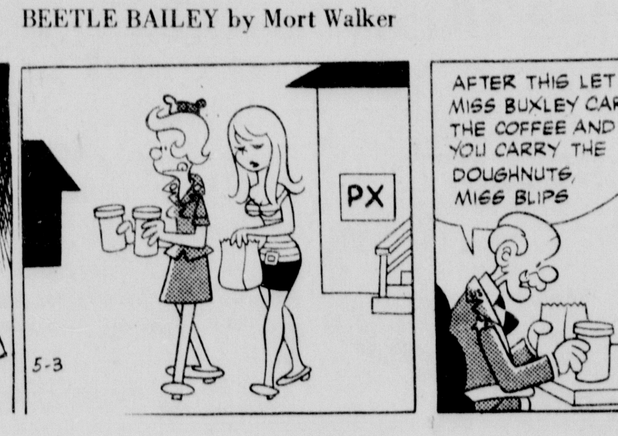
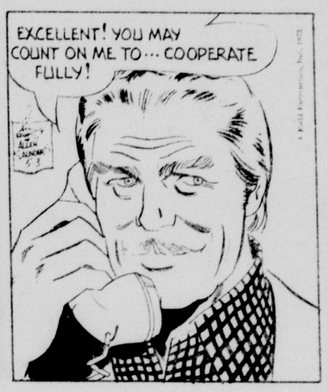


They'll Do It Every Time

STEVE CANYON by Milton Caniff

MARY WORTH by Allen & Saunders



PEANUTS by Schulz

CAPTAIN EASY by Crooks & Lawrence

Swink will seek suspension review

FARMINGTON, Mo. (AP) — Judge J. O. Swink of Farmington, said he plans to ask the Missouri Supreme Court to review a recommendation for his temporary suspension.

Following hearings last week, the State Commission on Retirement, Removal and Discipline recommended to the state high court that the Circuit Court judge be suspended for 30 days.

The commission charged Swink with using court library funds to install air conditioning in his office, accusing prosecutor Stanley M. Murphy of mishandling funds and using abusive language toward Murphy.

"I have been in court today and have not had a chance to discuss it with Charles Medley, a local attorney who is representing me," Swink said Monday. "The code of ethics is pretty strict in that state and I cannot discuss the case further until the Supreme Court rules on the commission's recommendation." Swink is judge of the 24th Circuit, which includes Madison, Perry, St. Francois and Ste. Genevieve counties.

The prosecuting attorney was successful last year in forcing Judge Swink to disqualify himself in 94 cases before the court. Swink said previously that Murphy took the action against him because the judge did not grant the prosecutor a continuance on a case in which he filed the wrong legal papers.

Fjords cut so deeply into Norway that its indented coastline is almost as long as Australia's.

LOOKING BACK

6 first class winners in inter-scholastic meet

50 years ago
May 3, 1923

Morehouse-- B.I. Howard was a Sikeston visitor Thursday.

Route One-- Mrs. Jim Baker is on the sick list.

Kelso-- Joe Glastetter is the owner of a new Ford car.

Charleston-- W.G. Russell of East Prairie spent last Friday in this city.

40 years ago
May 3, 1933

Morley-- Miss Lucille McDonough visited Mrs. Roy Bess in Charleston Sunday.

Arthur Otto and family moved last Thursday to their former home at Denvers, Ill. Mr. Otto, with his family, moved to Sikeston about seven years ago, later going to their farm in the Richwoods neighborhood. They have many friends here who regret their moving, but who wish them best of success at their former home.

Mrs. T.A. Martin is conducting a free kindergarten at her home for the next two weeks for children from two to three years of age.

Representatives from the classes of the local high school entering the contests in the Inter- Scholastic meet held at Cape Girardeau last weekend made a good showing with six persons winning first place in their various divisions, six winning second place, five winning third, and two fourth place winners. Following is a list of the first and second place winners: First place winners: Orville Lumsden, French I; Maxine Husher, cooking; Mildred Brewer, sewing; Raymond Bandy, grain judging; Vinson Jones, dairy judging; and Frank Alton, stock judging. Second place: Ruth Moore, French I; Virginia Baker, advance piano; Laura Jo Smith, voice; Fred Jones, grain judging; Pat Adams, poultry judging; and Neva Mae Taylor, advanced typing, State Association District Contest.

30 years ago
May 3, 1943

The Land Loan Division of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., has discontinued its office in Sikeston, because of the small amount of real estate remaining unsold. The local office, which had been located in the Buckner- Ragsdale building, was discontinued effective May 1, when it was found the office was no longer necessary. W.L. Oliver will remain in charge of the work of the Metropolitan Co., in this section until Steve G. Rodgers, who is on temporary disability leave, can return to work with the company. H.D. Bashore, farm salesman with the local office, has been transferred to the company's office at Kirksville, where he will do similar work. Miss Edith Elmore, who has been employed in the local office has been transferred to the Memphis office.

In observance of her birthday anniversary, Patsy Carol Sims entertained 14 of her friends at a party at her home on North Ranney Monday.

Mrs. Roy Duncan and son, Donald, sent to St. Louis Saturday to visit the former's sister until Tuesday, when they expected to leave for San Francisco, Calif., to join Mr. Duncan, who has been employed in the shipyards there for the past four months.

For sale the B.V. Forrester home, 223 West Gladys, new and completely modern; also the P.E. Crawford home, Highway 61, east of the high school addition. C. Clarence Scott.

20 years ago
May 3, 1953

East Prairie-- David Bright, 74, one of East Prairie's most popular and influential citizens, died at his home here yesterday. For 40 years he published the East Prairie Eagle and was a power in Democratic policies of this area.

Charleston-- Funeral services for Mrs. Bertha Hicks Boyd, 70, a resident of Charleston since she was 18, were held today. She died Saturday at St. Mary's Hospital in Cairo.

Aletha C. Pitt, 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pitt, 317 Hardin street, has been given new honors with inclusion of pictures and record of her achievements in "Who's Who in Baton Twirling for 1953."

Mr. and Mrs. James Chandler, Portageville, are parents of a boy born at the Delta Community Hospital yesterday.

12 cases presented in probate court

BENTON — Twelve cases were brought before Probate John H. Sides for the week ending April 27.

Charley Dietz, deceased: probate of will and appointment of executor.

The court ordered that Bill Waltrip and Don Agnew be, and are appointed as, witnesses to the inventory and appraisers to assist the executor in opening and examining papers, money and other property of said deceased in making a true inventory and appraisement of the same.

Della H. Bice, deceased: order of partial distribution.

Come Thomas L. Arnold, duly appointed, qualified and acting executor of estate of Della H. Bice, deceased, and come also First National Bank of Cape Girardeau, trustee, and Trinity Methodist Church of Oran by its trustees and appears to Court that notice has been given of intention to file petition for partial distribution that a settlement was filed as of April 23.

Elsie Hamby, deceased: order allowing attorney fees.

The court, having considered the petition of Kenneth L. Dement for executor's fees and attorney's fees in sum of $250 was allowed.

Jimmie Bass, deceased: affidavit filed:

On April 25 comes Jimmie Lou Carter, custodian for Cindy Bass and Stephen Lynn Bass and presents her affidavit regarding disqualification of judge.

Regina Kay Eason, minor: inventory filed and recorded.

On April 25 comes Edward Elmo Eason guardian of the estate of Regina Kay Eason, minor, and presents his inventory and appraisement in this estate, which is examined, approve filed and recorded.

Regin Kay Eason, minor: report of private sale of real property filed.

On April 25 come Edward Elmo Eason, guardian of the estate of Regina Kay Eason, a minor, and presents his report of private sale "All of lot 11 in block 5 of Prospect Park Addition to the city of Dexter, Stoddard County, being a part of northeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 22 township 25 north, range 10 east and more commonly known as 428 W. Elk St. in the city of Dexter.

Janie Ellen Manz, minor: annual settlement:

Comes Paul A. Menz, guardian of estate, and presents his account for his annual settlement in this estate, wherein he charges himself sum of $28,196.91 and asks credit for disbursement in sum of $13,796.81, leaving a balance due of $14,400.10, which settlement examined, approved order, filed and recorded.

Harry L. Ford, deceased: order to sell personal property.

It is ordered and adjusted the value of one- half interest in partnership between Harry L. Ford Sr. and Lloyd N. Ford as follows, inventory $6,583; fixture, $25,000; cash, $5,000 for a total of $36,583 to be sold on most advantageous terms obtainable at private sale for cash.

Harry W. Uelsmann, deceased: ordered.

It is ordered, adjudged and decreed by the court that Thomas L. Arnold, executor of the estate, is hereby authorized and directed to purchase in a market to mark the grave of Harry W. Uelsmann, deceased, at $115.88.

Harry C. Blanton: deceased: proof of publication of notice of granting letters testamentary filed.

"On April 26 presented to the court proof of not granting letters testamentary in estate of Harry Blanton, deceased, which was published in The Daily Standard, a daily newspaper showing dates of publication of April 5, 12, 19 and 26 which is examined and ordered filed.

Sallie Wainman, deceased: service copy of summons and affidavit of publication filed.

Affidavit of publication in estate of Sallie Wainman is examined and ordered filed.

Carla Jean Mays, minor, order authorizing payment of attorney fee on April 27, the petition of Bernard C. Rice of firm Blanton, Blanton, Rice and Sickal, attorney for co-guardian, requesting payment of attorney fees.

More than 2,500 gallons of water may evaporate from an acre of forest in just one day.

What's the law?

The case of the ungodly caper

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Benny was a totally irreligious person. Consequently, when he went to church, it was to prey. And what he preyed upon was the unguarded donation box. Then one day he got more ambitious. Bypassing the penny- ante donation box, he emptied the church's safe. And while he hauled off quite a bundle of loot, he ultimately got hauled off himself. The police figured out who had pulled the ungodly caper and Benny was arrested and charged with "burglary of a dwelling house."

"We've got three good witnesses who say he did it," the prosecuting attorney told the judge, "and there's no way Benny can weasel out of it."

"I don't care how many witnesses he's got," was Benny's answer. "I still can't be convicted. I was charged with 'burglary of a dwelling house' and, obviously, a church isn't a dewlling house. No one lives in it."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you convict Benny of the ungodly crime?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that under the common law, a church could be the subject of the crime with which Benny was charged. After all, noted the judge, a church is the "dwelling house of Almighty God."

(Based upon a 1964 Maryland Supreme Court Decision)

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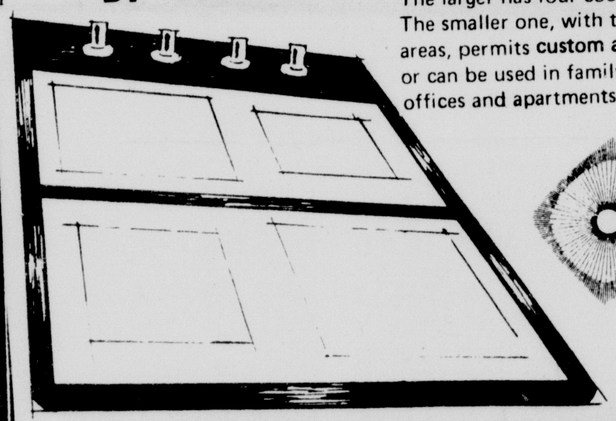

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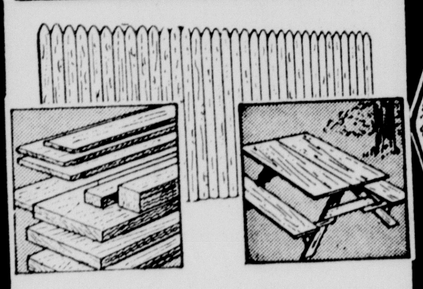

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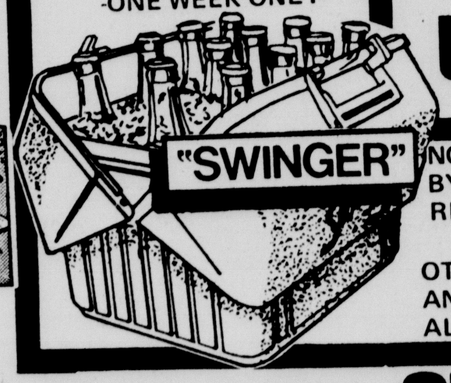

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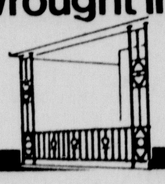

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Competency Examinations Help Mechanics Earn Certification

If a car with an automatic transmission starts in all selector positions, what is the cause of the malfunction? What must be done to correct disc brakes that are overly sensitive to light pedal pressure?

In 165 cities throughout the country late this fall, mechanics will be answering similar questions contained in a four-part series of tests. Successful completion of the battery will demonstrate that an individual has the necessary competence and skills to be certified as a General Automobile Mechanic.

The voluntary mechanic certification program is the first project of the National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence. Headquartered in Washington, D.C., the independent, non-profit body was organized by concerned segments of the vehicle service industry to improve the quality of automobile repairs through testing and educational projects.

The Institute will work with the public government and the service industry to create new approaches, new methods that will help bring into being improved automobile servicing standards and reliable measurements of service competency.

On four consecutive Tuesday evenings, mechanics will take an 80-question, multiple-choice examination on one of the four automobile areas in which a good mechanic should have knowledge.

Those passing all four tests and who have at least two years of automobile work experience will be certified. The recognition certificate will be valid for three years after which time a recertification test will be necessary.

Each test will cost $10 and if the mechanic so chooses he may spread out completion of the battery over a one or two year period. Although he is recognized for successfully completing each part, full certification will not be granted until all four tests have been passed.

The certification examinations were developed by Educational Testing Service, a nationally-known organization which will also administer and score the tests.

The questions do not relate to specific vehicle makes or models — domestic or imported, but focus instead on basic systems. The first covers power plants—a car's basic engine, fuel induction, ignition and exhaust systems. The second asks questions about transmissions, clutches, drive-lines and axles.

Test number three involves suspension steering and brake systems while the final test covers starting and charging systems, basic body, electrical and air-conditioning systems.

Those mechanics who do not pass the tests the first time, may retake an exam when it is again offered six months later. It was emphasized that mechanics who are competent in a given test area should pass the first time. Those who do not will find out in which areas skills are lacking so that they may prepare accordingly for eventual certification.

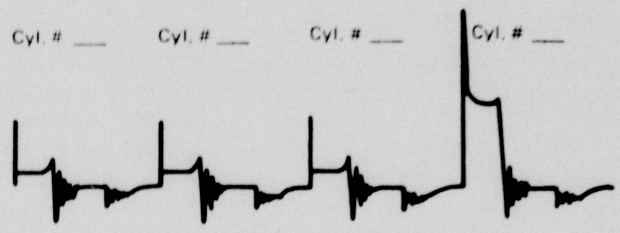
Complete details of the program are contained in a *Bulletin of Information* which may be requested by writing to: Certified Mechanic Program, Educational Testing Service, P.O. Box 2611, Princeton, New Jersey 08580.

7. When the breaker points in an ignition system are badly pitted, what is the first part that should be checked for possible malfunction?

(A) Coil (B) Distributor cap
(C) Ignition switch (D) Distributor condenser

8. Which of the following instruments would a mechanic be most likely to use in performing an exhaust restriction test?

(A) A combustion efficiency tester (B) An air-flow meter
(C) A leakage tester (D) A vacuum gauge



9. Which of the following troubles is indicated in the scope pattern shown above?

(A) Excessive rotor to cap clearance
(B) Excessive secondary resistance
(C) Oil fouled spark plug
(D) Ignition point bounce

10. If the accelerator-pump inlet check ball is accidently left out of a carburetor, which of the following is the most likely result?

Here reproduced from one of the Institute for Automotive Service Excellence manuals are some of the types of questions those who will be taking the tests must cope with in earning certification as a General Automobile Mechanic.

Don't Pass Up Free Services At Outlets

May Cost You Money Later If You Do

Maybe the best things in life aren't really free, but if you pass up those free services offered by service outlets, it may cost you.

Take the simple precaution of checking battery water levels. It requires only a few seconds of time and absolutely no money. But if battery fluid levels are allowed to drop and the condition is not detected, it could mean premature deterioration of the battery. It could cause an inconvenient "can't start" as well.

During hot, dry periods of summer, battery water is more likely to evaporate. So, especially during warm weather months, have the battery checked every time you stop for gas.

In addition to water levels, have the battery checked for corrosion and soundness of the cables.

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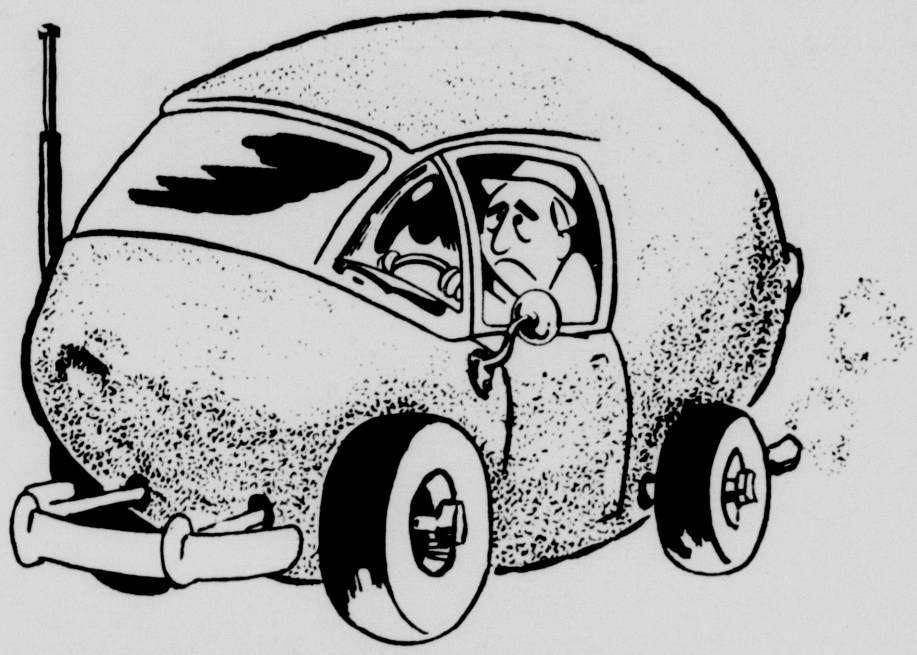

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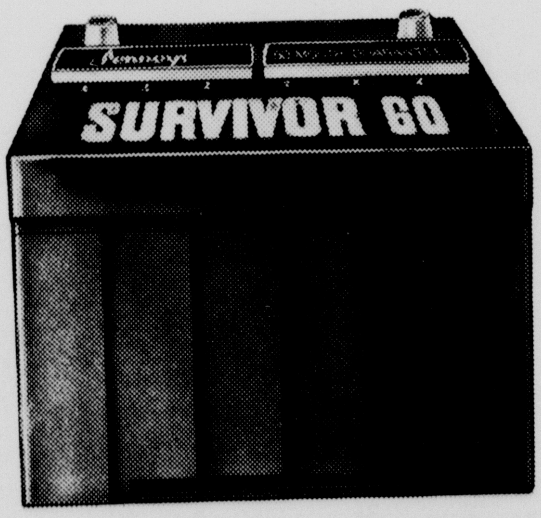

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Changing Spark Plugs Can Save You Gas

Getting better gasoline mileage always has been an attractive proposition to the motorist. Who could argue with the proposition that when gasoline consumption goes down, the bank balance edges up?

Today being stingy with gasoline is more than a matter of dollars and cents. The same factors that affect gas economy also have a strong bearing on reducing exhaust emissions. And there's still another compelling reason to be concerned with gasoline conservation. The world is faced with an impending shortage of petroleum, the source of gasoline.

Key to Saving

According to David L. Walker, Champion Spark Plug Company automotive technical services director, engine condition is the key to gasoline consumption.

Walker, speaking to a group of technicians at Champion's new West Coast Technical Center in Santa Ana, California, reported that untuned engines are wasters of fuel.

He cited results of a three-nation Champion test program that showed an untuned engine (one that hasn't been tuned in more than 10,000 miles of operation) wastes between one and two gallons of gasoline per tankful. Merely replacing worn spark plugs with new ones can save better than a gallon per tankful the tests revealed.

Habits Have Bearing

Driving habits also have a bearing on good gasoline mileage, Walker said.

- **Excessive speed is a notorious waster of fuel. Keeping within the posted speed limits will help save gasoline, not to mention reducing accident dangers.**
- **Keeping a light and steady foot on the gas pedal is also a fuel saver. Jack rabbit starts and sudden acceleration while driving require excessive fuel.**
- **Stay mentally ahead of traffic, "playing" traffic lights and avoiding situation such as tail-gating other cars. Sudden stopping and starting are major causes of wasted gasoline.**
- **Avoid prolonged idling. If you must wait in your car for more than a few seconds, such as at a railroad crossing or for someone to come out of a store, it's more economical to shut off the engine. It also helps cut down on pollution.**
- **Make sure your tire pressure is proper. Underinflated tires, particularly, hurt gas economy.**

SEE AND BE SEEN!

Among the most common reasons for rejection at vehicle inspection stations throughout the country are items affecting visibility. In some areas as high as a 50 percent rejection rate occurs on items such as lights and windshield wiper and washer systems.

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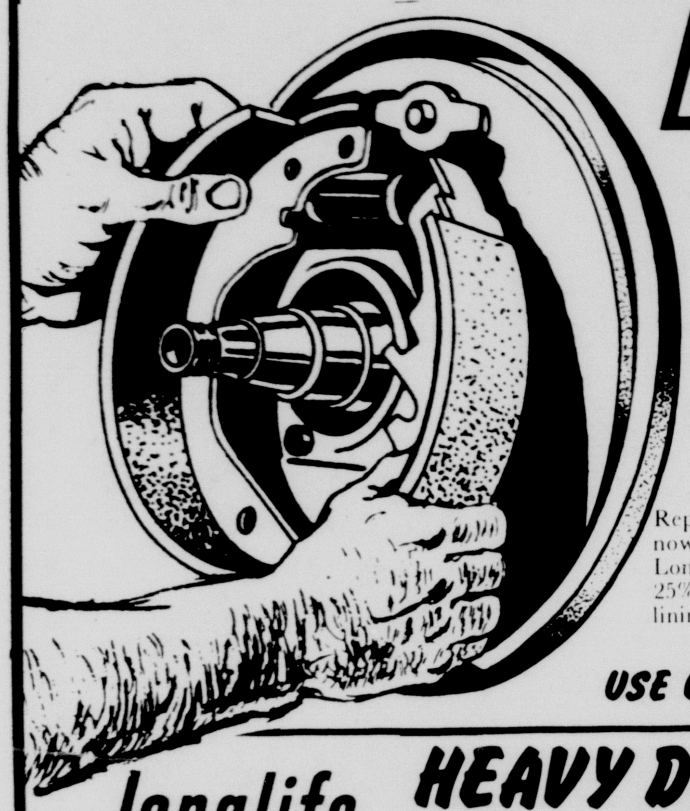

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Tune-Ups Most Vital in Coping with Pollution

Progress in Fight for Cleaner Air Calls for Regular Car Maintenance

If you're adept at creating HC, CO and NOx, you may get a good grade in a chemistry class. But you'll be flunking in a more important area, helping protect the nation's environment.

The three chemical designations are the elements of the harmful emissions that are byproducts of fuels that power automobile engines. They are part of the air pollution problem.

HC (or hydrocarbons) is a scientific designation for fuel. The amount of fuel that is unburned and enters the atmosphere through exhaust or vaporization is one element that, when exposed to sunlight, creates smog.

Invisible Gas

Another smog-creating byproduct of combustion is NOx (nitrogen oxide). CO (carbon monoxide) does not create smog but enters the atmosphere as an odorless, tasteless and invisible gas. In enclosed areas, such as the interior of a car, CO can be lethal.

If automotive fuel were burned to 100 per cent efficiency, the byproducts would be H_2O and CO_2. H_2O is water and CO_2 is carbon dioxide, both harmless to the atmosphere.

Fortunately, all signs point to the near-future time when the automobile will no longer be a significant part of the air pollution problem. One indication of this trend is that today, more than 85 per cent of automobile-caused pollution comes from cars built before 1968.

Later-model cars, incorporating anti-pollution devices, have become a minor part of the problem.

In fact cars built today create only 10% of the pollutants as did cars manufactured in the early 1960's.

As the older cars are scrapped, the pollution picture in this country is brightening significantly. And as devices such as after-burners or catalytic converters are introduced in a few years, cars will be virtually pollution-free, according to the car manufacturers.

Maintenance Needed

Despite all the efforts and money invested by the car makers, the fight against air pollution will not be totally successful unless the car owner adheres to a schedule of maintenance.

The service most vitally affecting emissions is tune-up.

According to tests conducted by the University of Michigan and the State of New Jersey, a tuned engine produces about 50 per cent fewer pollutants than the same engine in need of tune-up (at idle).

National Check Your Vehicle Emissions Month in April was established in the U.S.A. to remind motorists that engines in good condition do not pollute excessively. Many service facilities like this one offered clean engine checks to help combat air pollution. Mechanics perform a 15-minute check of vital engine components to see whether the car is a polluter or not.

Accidents Traced to Missed Meal

Abnormally low blood-sugar levels, induced by missed meals, may be a direct cause of accidents.

This is the view of Miss M. S. Christian, Head of the Accident and Emergency Department at Wexham Park Hospital, Slough, England. In accident studies she found that several truck drivers who crashed for no apparent reason had extremely low blood-sugar levels.

In three cases, the drivers were either confused, faint or ill but each recovered after a shot of intravenous glucose and a meal. None of them was diabetic and all were young and healthy. The common factor was that each driver had at least 12 hours' starvation.

This new danger was discovered by Miss Christian during a survey she is undertaking of the "unknown factors" in road accidents.

The survey, which will also look into the effects of such factors as tranquilizers and diabetes, includes a question to establish the relationship between the time of the accident and the last meal.

Symptoms associated with low blood-sugar are weakness, drowsiness, dizziness, mental confusion, double vision, aggression and other abnormal behavior. Because symptoms can show at levels not much lower than those after the normal 12 hour overnight fast, anyone undertaking a long journey should not skip a meal.

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Time to Summerize Recreational Vehicles

Removal of All Signs of Winter Recommended as First Step To Roadworthy Operation

"Before making extensive summer use of a recreational vehicle, owners should first make sure it is properly dewinterized," says Mike Radigan, National Director of the Recreational Vehicle Institute. He referred to the process of readying an RV for hot weather use as "summerizing" and said the first step in summerizing is to remove signs of winter.

"Anti-freeze should be drained from the radiator and fresh water should be back-flushed through the cooling system," the RVI head suggests.

"Engine oil should be changed and summer oil used — a new oil filter should be installed. At the same time, it is a good idea to have the entire chassis lubricated.

"It shouldn't be necessary to change transmission fluid or differential oil but these should at least be checked, as should the power steering oil.

Check Spark Plugs

"Master cylinder brake fluid should also be checked."

Other steps toward "summarizing," according to Radigan, include cleaning and gapping (or replacing) spark plugs and points, recharging battery condition), checking and replacing if necessary such items as light bulbs, windshield wiper blades, muffler and tail pipe, springs and shock absorbers.

Radigan also suggested front end alignment checks, inspection of tires and a general underneath check for damage of any kind.

"As for the living quarters, the water storage tank should be thoroughly flushed out to remove any anti-freeze you may have used and to clean out the tank and water lines. Thorough flushing should continue for at least 15 minutes," the RVI director advises.

Look for Leaks

"This is a good time to make sure your pump is working properly and that there are no leaks anywhere in your water system," Radigan advised, suggesting similar treatment for the holding tank.

He emphasized that special attention should be paid to appliances including range, furnace, refrigerator, water heater, etc., and said that gas appliances should be carefully tested for correct pilot flames, in accordance with manufacturers' instructions.

Remember These

"An additional check of all windows, doors, ventilators, cabinets, and a little oil or graphite on noisy or stiff hinges . . . a final check of your interior lights, careful inspection of your hitch and safety chains, and you should be ready for a summer full of fun," Radigan concluded.

HELPFUL HINTS FOR DRIVING

When an engine misses as the car is accelerated but runs fine at light load or idle, the probable reason is that a worn plug may misfire because of increased compression pressure at heavy load.

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When cleaning your windshield, don't force the wiper blades aside. Some of the late model electrically driven wipers can be permanently damaged by forcing them to another position.

Some ignition problems don't show themselves except in wet weather. That's when cracked insulation is most likely to fail. Avoid trouble by having boots and cables inspected when you buy new spark plugs.

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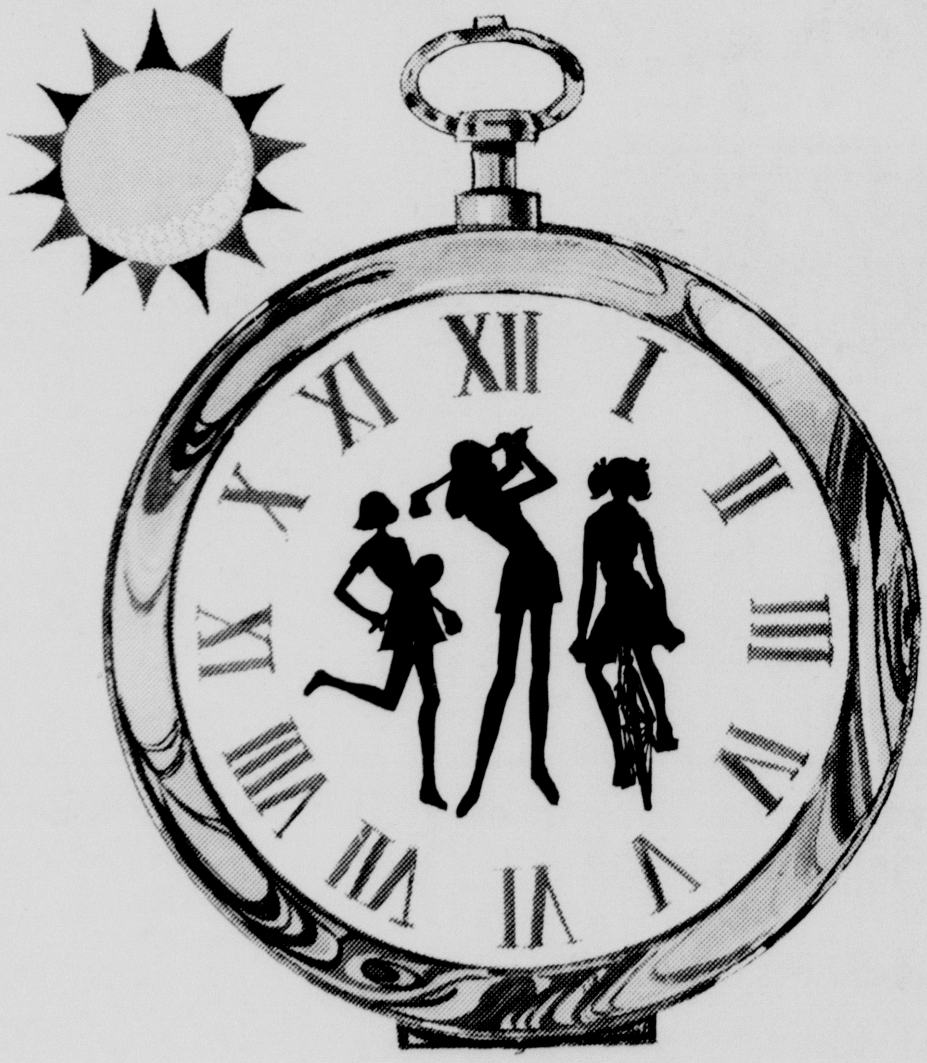

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RFI 'Ear' Pollution Ills Becoming Thing of Past; Resistor Plugs are Help

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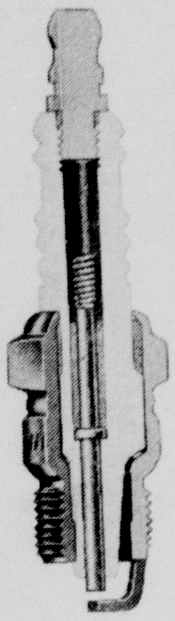

While curing air pollution, caused by excessive harmful emissions, is being brought under control, it still remains an environmental problem.

Fortunately ear pollution in the form of radio signal interference has been eliminated and will not be a problem if proper maintenance is practiced.

According to Champion Spark Plug Company, two major developments have controlled radio interference (RFI). In the past, noise from the automotive ignition system has interfered with radio signals. As a result, radio and television reception in cars and in the home have been interrupted by electrical interference emanating from passing vehicles (much in the way a vacuum cleaner in operation will distort radio and TV reception in the same room).

With the development of resistor-type ignition cables and resistor spark plugs, RFI is virtually eliminated. Cars manufactured today come equipped with the resistor cables. In most new cars, resistor-type spark plugs also are original equipment.

When replacing resistor cables and resistor-type spark plugs, make certain your service man uses RFI-suppressing replacement components. Cables should be replaced, according to one manufacturer, at about 38,000 miles or when cracked or otherwise damaged. Plugs should be replaced at 10,000 miles as part of a tune-up.

That way, you'll be doing your share to make RFI ear pollution a thing of the past.

PSYCHIC PREDICTIONS DURING ESP CONFAB

STAUNTON, Va. (AP) — April 19 isn't a good day for sailing the Atlantic. Psychic David Hoy, personal consultant to Sonny and Cher, says, "On April 19 one of the largest reported icebergs will be sighted in the North Atlantic."

Hoy was speaking at an ESP Conference held at Mary Baldwin College here. He also forecast that President Nixon will visit Cuba within four months and that neither Spiro Agnew nor Ted Kennedy will be nominated for President in 1976.

Adventuresome vacationers who want to take their camper trailers off the beaten path into scenic areas such as the above — with its magnificent view of the Grand Tetons — will do well to make sure their rigs are checked thoroughly before they consider off-road maneuvers.

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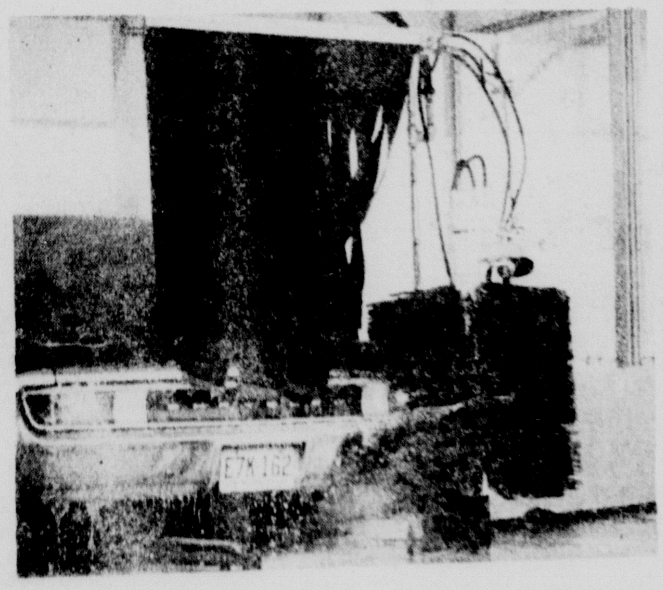

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Automatic Transmissions Make Driving Easy and Pleasurable

By JODY CARR

Other than the self starter, probably nothing has contributed more to driving pleasure than the automatic transmission. As trouble free as this complicated mechanism is, it is not indestructible. There are a few things which can shorten its life.

Jody Carr

For example: a driver stalls his car at a traffic light, finally gets it running again and, with engine roaring, moves his shift lever to "D". Or on a steep upgrade, he is waiting for a red light to turn green. He uses the gas pedal instead of the brake, allowing the engine to hold him in position.

If cars could talk, his would cry!

These are two of the most common abuses to which automatic transmissions are subjected. But there are more.

Have you ever seen someone park by giving the car ahead (or behind) a good solid nudge to make extra space? If the nudged car is in "park," a little gadget inside the transmission can be broken. This happened more than once.

Use your parking brake instead of "park" whenever there is a possibility of being bumped or pushed by another car.

While we're on the subject of "park," NEVER move your shift lever to "park" while the car is in motion. This can have the same unfortunate result as being bumped.

Some drivers manage to put their cars in reverse while they are going forward. Although the automatic transmission has a special locking device to prevent this from happening, who knows if the device is working?

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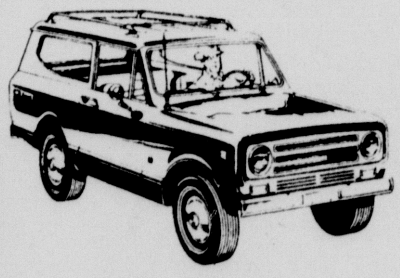

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Make Certain Your Car Is Ready for Safe Trouble-Free Motoring

Is your car in shape for the strenuous schedule of summer travel you have planned? Or, like too many in this country, is it a candidate for an exasperating, expensive and possibly dangerous breakdown?

It's a lamentable fact that too many motorists will expect a thoroughbred's performance from a car that is, in fact, more like a candidate for the Swayback Derby.

Study after study shows that in critical safety and performance areas, the average car is not equipped to handle the long, hard driving most vacation trips require.

Why is this so? Why do John and Jane Owner allow their cars to deteriorate?

Champion Spark Plug Company recently conducted a survey which sought to determine the reasons for tune-up neglect. While the survey concentrated on tune-up, it is probable that the rationalizations given for not buying needed tune-up apply to other maintenance musts as well.

The major reasons cited were:
My car is running fine just the way it is.
I don't have time.
I don't have the money.

As plausible as these reasons may have seemed to the motorists, they often defy either fact or logic (or both).

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Consider these facts.

Are most cars running fine just the way they are? Not according to compulsory vehicle check lanes or private diagnostic clinics.

More than half the cars inspected at these facilities show dangerous safety and operational defects, many of them unknown to the car owner.

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Is "I don't have time" a valid excuse?

Certainly, most people live busy, active lives. But a busy person soon learns that to accomplish what he must, he has to schedule activities.

Cleaner Engines Call For Better Cooling

In designing anti-emission systems to help reduce air pollution, car manufacturers are installing hotter-running engines in today's vehicles. Therefore, it has become even more critical that cooling systems be in top condition to handle the higher engine temperatures.

This means that the cooling system should be checked twice a year for the following:

Leak-free radiator; soundness of all hoses and connections; properly operating thermostat; radiator cap is sealing efficiently; water pump is working, and coolant levels are normal.

Proper mixture of coolant, for both summer and winter operation, is about 50 per cent ethylene glycol-type anti-freeze and 50 per cent water. This so-called permanent-type anti-freeze should be replaced every two years or 30,000 miles, which ever comes first.

While on the subject of anti-freeze, the "self-sealing" variety that claims it can stop radiator leaks offers only a temporary solution to a leak problem. Containing, generally, an asbestos-type compound, the "leak-proof" anti-freeze is effective only for a short time. Once revealed, the leak should be located and repaired by a competent auto service technician.

Habits Have Bearing

Driving habits also have a bearing on good gasoline mileage, Walker said.

- **Excessive speed is a notorious waster of fuel. Keeping within the posted speed limits will help save gasoline, not to mention reducing accident dangers.**
- **Keeping a light and steady foot on the gas pedal is also a fuel saver. Jack rabbit starts and sudden acceleration while driving require excessive fuel.**

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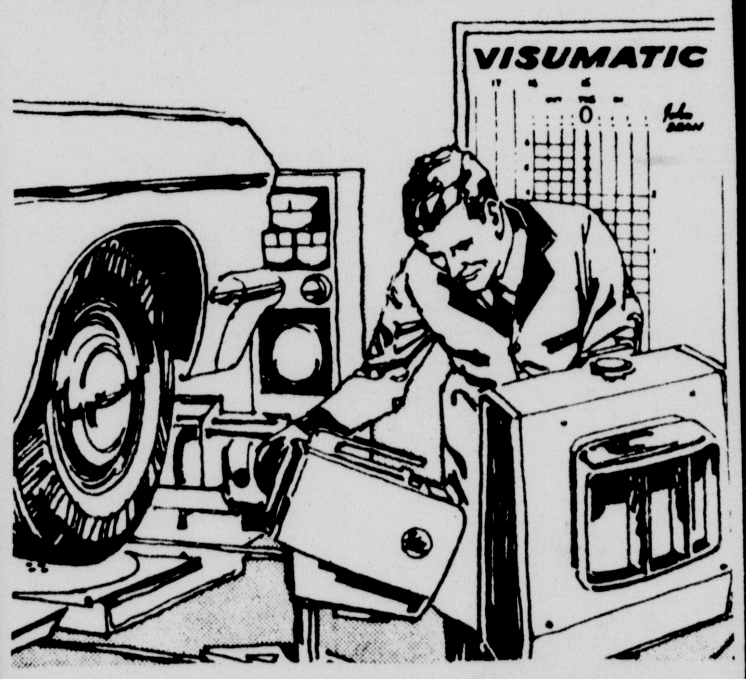

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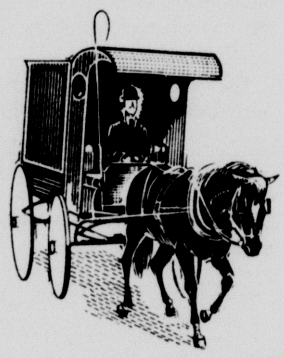

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Seven Points Cited as Way To Cope with Brake Trouble

Powered or unpowered, drum or disc, your car's brakes are one of the simplest systems in your car and one of the most critical to your safety. So an understanding of the following seven common points of failure is vital, says the Canadian Safety Council.

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1. Fade is one of the most common problems.

Although cheap or defective linings, fluid or drums may be at fault, the usual cause of fade is simply overheating from severe service. Three things can happen, any of which can cause partial or total brake failure. If two or three happen simultaneously, you have very little hope of stopping your car.

FIRST, excessive heat can temporarily weaken the drum and cause it to distort from the pressure of the shoes inside it. This may allow excessive movement of the shoes and cause the pedal to go all the way to the floor.

SECOND, heat may cause the brake fluid to boil and become compressible; this would also allow the pedal to go to the floor.

FINALLY and most commonly, heat glazes the lining, giving it an almost liquid coating that acts as a lubricant, preventing the buildup of friction necessary to stop the car.

In a minor case, all the cure that's needed is time—15 to 30 minutes at the most — to allow the brake parts to cool. When they do, they will operate normally if they have not been damaged by excessive heat. The trick is to recognize the onset of brake fade and get the car stopped before it gets worse.

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2. When the brakes don't take hold until the pedal almost touches the floor, this is known as excessive pedal travel and is a serious problem.

If not corrected, it will lead to a total brake failure.

A simple adjustment may cure the problem, but a complete system check is called for because there may be a leak or other critical hydraulic defect. If the pedal goes all the way to the floor, do not attempt to drive; have your car towed to a repair shop.

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3. Spongy pedal is usually caused by air getting into the hydraulic system when the fluid level is low.

Correction may require only a simple "bleeding" job that usually costs a few dollars for an hour's labor. But there could also be a serious mechanical failure; get a thorough inspection.

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4. Wheel pull or failure of the car to stop in a straight line can result from a defective brake or simple maladjustment.

It can also be caused by excessive wear somewhere in the steering system or an oil leak from an axle.

But don't treat it as an annoyance; it will probably get worse — perhaps suddenly — and it could easily cause you to lose control of your car. Have it looked at right away.

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5. Squeal sometimes comes from certain brands of extra-hard brake linings.

It's annoying, but not necessarily a danger sign. On the other hand, the noise may result from a mechanical malfunction or worn lining.

Excessive or sudden new brake squeal calls for a checkup.

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6. Drag may be caused by many things, but the scraping sound is a sure sign that something is wrong.

To neglect dragging brakes (partly engaged) will not only allow them to ruin themselves but will inevitably lead to a total failure.

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7. Pulsation or chatter, a vibrating sensation you may feel at the pedal or notice at the wheel, comes from a loose support plate or from a broken or out-of-round drum.

It is usually a minor problem to correct but it needs immediate attention.

Keep this in mind about brakes: when defective they never get better of their own accord; they only get worse. And when a defect shows up, total failure may be only seconds away.

Who said, "I don't have the money"?

Few of us have all the money we need. But a few dollars spent on preventive maintenance can save a lot of dollars spent on corrective maintenance. A squirt of lubricant often can forestall the breakdown of an expensive part.

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Certainly, there are reasons and excuses for everything. But you've invested too much money in your car to allow it to deteriorate. And you'll be investing too much hard-earned time and money on your vacation to let it be spoiled by a malfunctioning car.

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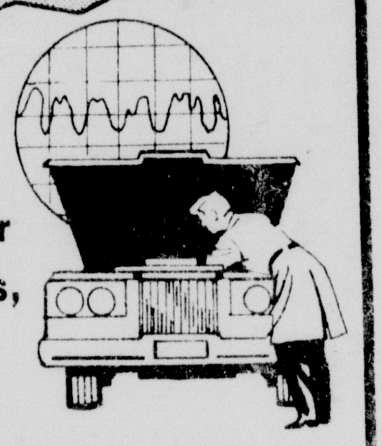

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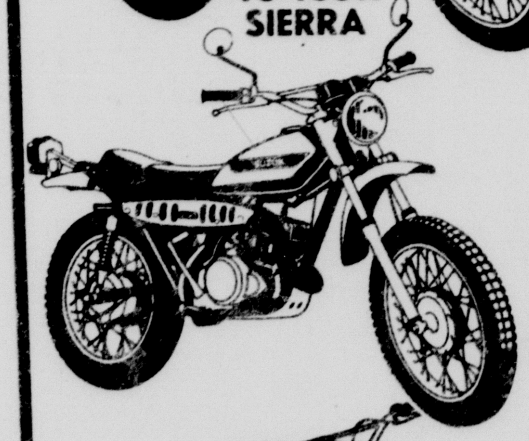

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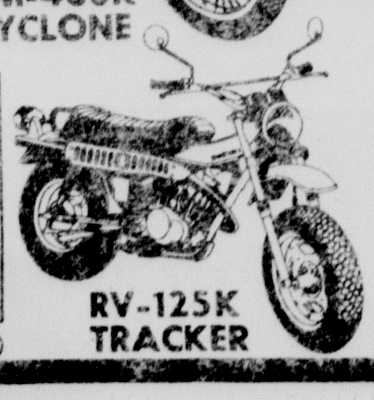

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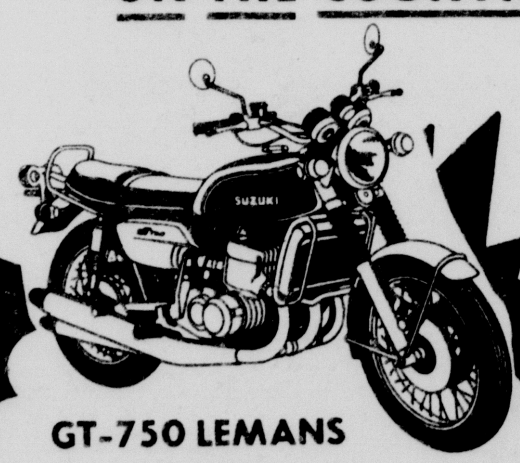

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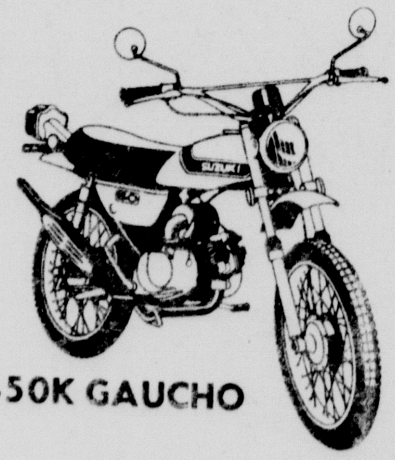

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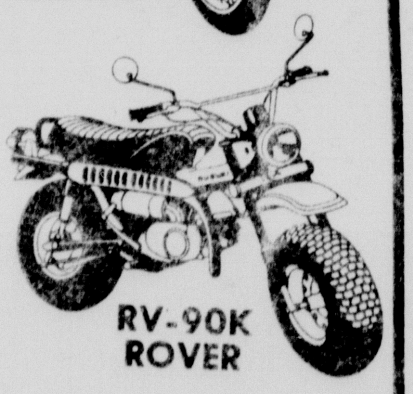

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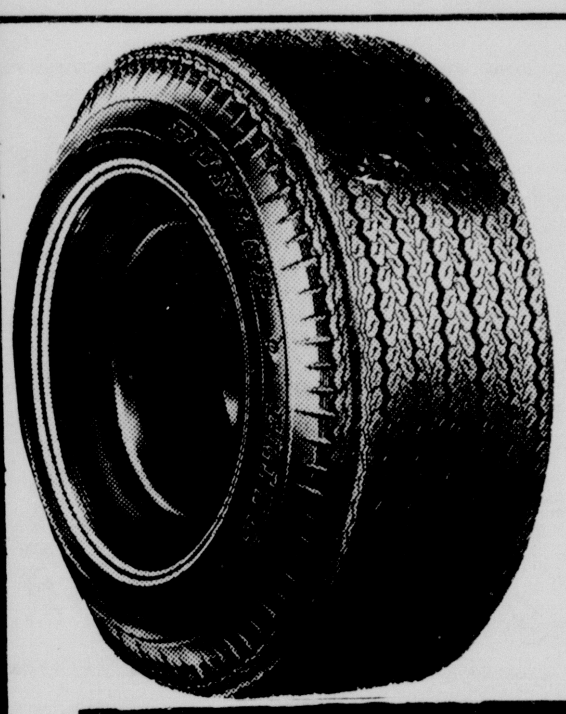

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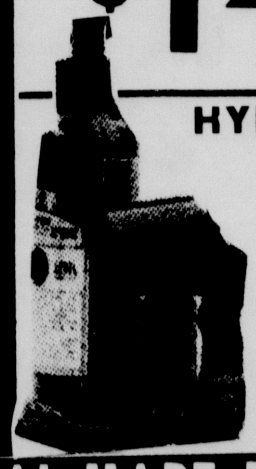

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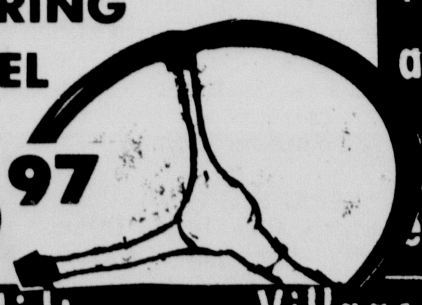

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How to Get Maximum Safe Miles Out of Tires, Told by Expert

By RODGER WARD

I've learned a lot about tires and what makes them last longer, perform better, thanks to my years as a race car driver and professional tire tester. Now that I have a performance safety tire on the market with my name on it I'm even more interested in seeing that motorists everywhere get the right facts on prolonging tire life.

The tricks to getting those extra miles of tire life aren't all connected solely with the condition or quality of the tires installed on a car however. Improved driving techniques will help extend tire life, as will taking care of your car's tires from time to time. I have a list of seven things to do that I know will prolong the life of your tires.

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WATCH THAT INFLATION: Perhaps the greatest single determining factor in tire mileage is the air pressure at which tires are run. Check the owner's manual for your car — this is where the load range data will be useful — and follow the recommended air pressure for the tires you now use.

The Department of Transportation estimates that some 33 million tires a year are destroyed by underinflation. This represents a loss of some $750 million to car owners. So remember, the few minutes a simple tire pressure check takes will save you money.

If you get a tire that is larger than normally called for on a given car, this is all right — as long as the wheel rim will accept the larger tire. Undersized tires could fail you in a stress situation. An undersized tire will not safely carry the weight of your car and its payload.

Another point about tire sizes. Be sure that the same tire sizes are in service on the same axle.

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CUTS, BRUISES AND BUBBLES: Tires that have sustained actual damage are a serious safety hazard. A sidewall cut can let go when it's least expected, sometimes with disastrous results. So for safety's sake check your tires for cuts, bruises and bubbles.

This kind of checking must be done with the tire free of the road, so that it can be spun and checked on the entire circumference of the tread as well as the sidewall that faces into the car. If the tire rubber is abraded over a considerable distance, and the tire looks as though it may be damaged, there's only one thing to do. Have the tire removed and the inside checked for possible cord damage.

Bubbles that indicate rubber layer separation are cause for immediate replacement also. A young tire with a sidewall bubble should be taken back to the point of purchase for warranty consideration.

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SUSPENSION ADJUSTMENTS CRITICAL TOO: Proper alignment of a car's front-end will help to get more miles out of a set of tires. And if you rotate tires regularly, accurate front-end alignment will improve the wear of all road tires.

Another point to remember is that shock absorbers also should be checked regularly for effectiveness and correct operation. If the shocks are weak they won't keep those tires on the road and frequent bouncing impact will take its toll in shortened tire life.

High-mileage cars should have their ball joints checked since wear of these components also can lead to rapid tire wear. Maintaining regular wheel balance is another key to longer tire life. The wheels should be balanced according to the car maker's suggestions, or when you feel any unusual minor vibration in the chassis or steering.

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STARTS, STOPS, CORNERS AND CURBS: Even if you're in a hurry, you should take your time when pulling away from a stop. On the other side of the coin, you should never as a habit use the panic stop, or other such hard-driving techniques as late breaking, unless you absolutely must as an evasive maneuver.

Taking corners and curves at high speeds is one of the best ways I know to reduce tire mileage. When your car builds up a lot of forward momentum, and you ask the tires to absorb the sideways force of a quick turn, you're burning rubber.

Ask almost any driver how he should prep his tires before doing any prolonged high-speed driving and he'll tell you to take out some air. And he'd be wrong. You're supposed to add air — about 4 psi over normal, in fact.

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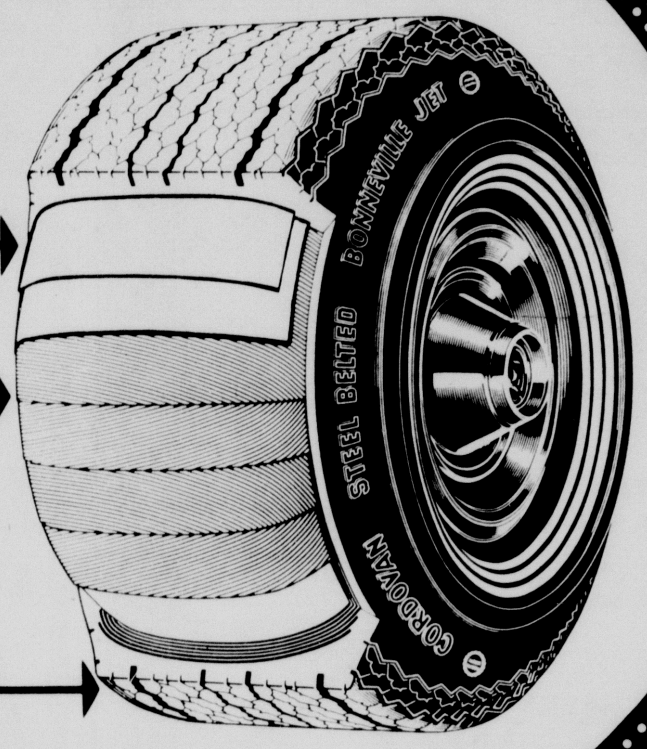

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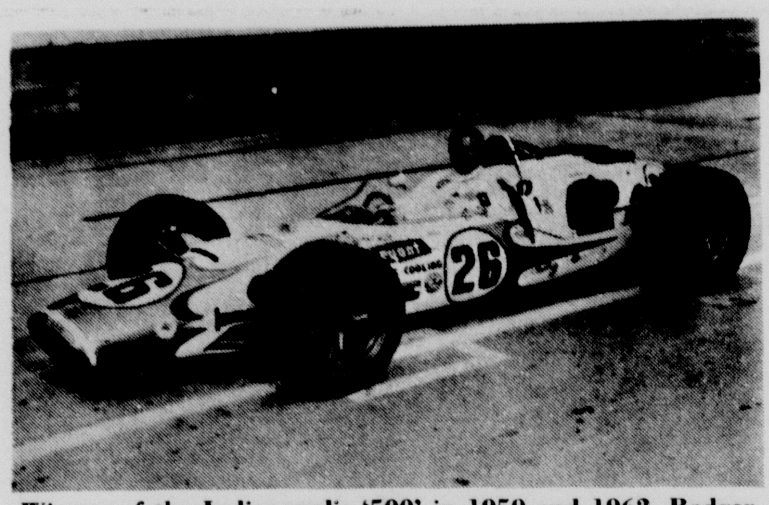

Winner of the Indianapolis '500' in 1959 and 1962, Rodger Ward knows how to get every safe mile possible out of tires. His advice to car owners is presented in the accompanying article. This photo was taken in 1966, Ward's last year in competitive racing.

ADVICE TO WOMEN who DRIVE... and MEN, Too...

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Dear DeDe:

My husband is a commercial pilot and understandably is very finicky about the condition of his plane. But what drives me batty is that he is also a dingbat when it comes to our car. We are always late wherever we go because Bob insists on performing what he calls a "pre-flight check" before he gets into the car. He checks the tires, the wipers, the oil and water and a dozen other items before he'll even move out of the driveway. I'm all for safety but don't you think he's carrying this thing too far?

MRS. R.W.
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Dear Mrs. R.W.:

Perhaps your husband is carrying things too far. But, if he is, at least he's on the side of the angels. (A good place for a pilot to be.) Too many motorists pay no attention to fundamentals like proper tire pressure, oil levels, good wipers and other basics necessary for trouble-free performance. At best, neglect can lead to premature deterioration of the car. At worst, carelessness can lead to a serious accident. Bear with your husband's carefulness. He wants to fly now and drive later in a safe manner.

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Dear DeDe:

Will you please help me out of a tight spot at home? I just met Jeff and he's the kind of guy I could get serious over. There's only one trouble. Jeff has his heart set on being a race driver. When my parents heard that, they blew their stacks and forbade me to see Jeff again. Now, I've driven with time of the accident and *he's a lot safer driver than some of the boys my parents approve of. How can I convince my parents to let me go out with Jeff?*

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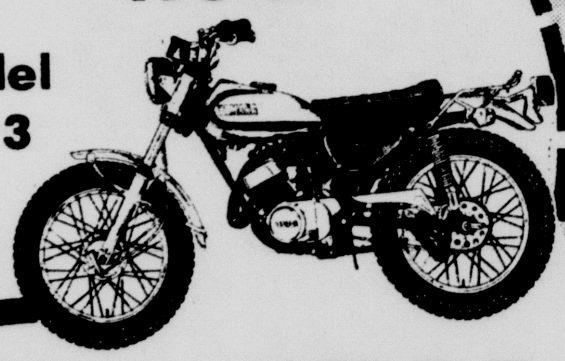

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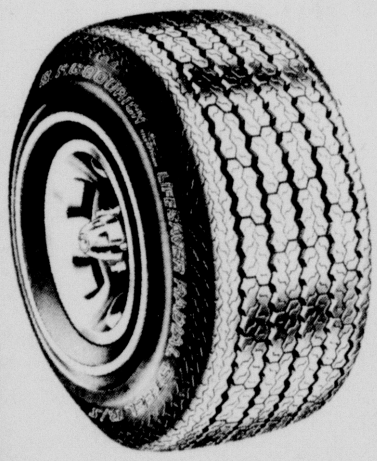

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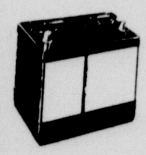

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Mysteries of Single-Car Accidents

One of the fastest growing and most mysterious fatal accident statistics is the single car accident. It results when, for some undetermined reason, a car leaves the road and strikes a fixed object.

Since victims of the single car accident cannot explain what happened, causes of the tragedy are difficult to determine.

According to some traffic experts, a possible reason for at least some of the single car fatalities could be worn shock absorbers. When shocks are worn, a panic stop, possibly caused by an animal darting onto the roadway, could result in the car's front wheels lifting off the road's surface. This action could result in loss of control by the driver.

Also, when shocks are defective, taking a curve at high speeds could mean loss of control.

The average effective life of shock absorbers is about two years or 24,000 miles of driving. Beyond that point, shocks generally lose effectiveness and pose a safety hazard.

Therefore, the motorist is advised to have the condition of the shocks checked routinely when the car is on the hoist for an oil change, lube job, wheel alignment or similar service.

Motorists are also advised to match up the replacement shocks with the type of driving they do. In over-the-road driving with normal loads, regular shocks generally suffice. However, with frequent driving over rough roads and at high speeds, a heavy duty shock may be needed. Motorists who frequently haul trailers or other heavy loads may need load leveler stabilizing units.

If front-end sag due to worn springs is evident, front end stabilizing units are recommended.

Signs of worn shock absorbers include a bobbing of the car after a stop, rough riding characteristics and instability on curves.

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Did you know that if you drive a car an average of 10,000 miles per year its spark plugs have probably fired some 15 million times during that period? That's why they should be serviced at 5,000 miles and replaced at 10,000 miles.

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WIPE OUT NOISE

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Check List—for Those Who Will Tow Trailers

If you're planning to tow a trailer on a vacation trip this summer, you won't be alone. Trailer towing has increased 400% in the past ten years.

But you may be alone — all alone — if your car breaks down in the boondocks. Minimize this danger by properly servicing and equipping your car before hooking up that trailer.

Here are some things to be checked:

☐ **BRAKES. Is the lining thick enough for a season of driving? Are components completely leak-free? Is pedal pressure solid without sponginess and is fluid up to the mark?**

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☐ **TRANSMISSION. Is fluid level correct? Does the car shift at correct speeds without lag or erratic performance? Are "U" joints quiet?**

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☐ **TIRES. Are treads wearing evenly? Any cracks or cuts in the tread or sidewalls? Adequate size for load? More than 1/16" of tread left?**

☐ **COOLING SYSTEM. If it has been a year or more since the last cooling system service, it's a good idea to have the system flushed out and replace the anti-freeze coolant. A 50% solution is recommended. This will assure a margin of safety in terms of boiling protection. Are hoses and fittings leak-free? No sponginess? Are fanbelts tight and in good condition? Are thermostat and water pump working properly?**

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☐ **LIGHTS. All operative, including signal lights? Tail light lenses in good condition? Extra fuses in the glovebox?**

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☐ **SHOCK ABSORBERS & SUSPENSION. Any leakage from the shocks? Springs sagging from old age?**

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☐ **WHEEL ALIGNMENT. Had it checked lately?**

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☐ **ENGINE. Before an extended drive, the engine should be tuned. This is especially important under heavier load conditions when you need all the power you can get. Check the mileage since your last lube and oil and filter change, too.**

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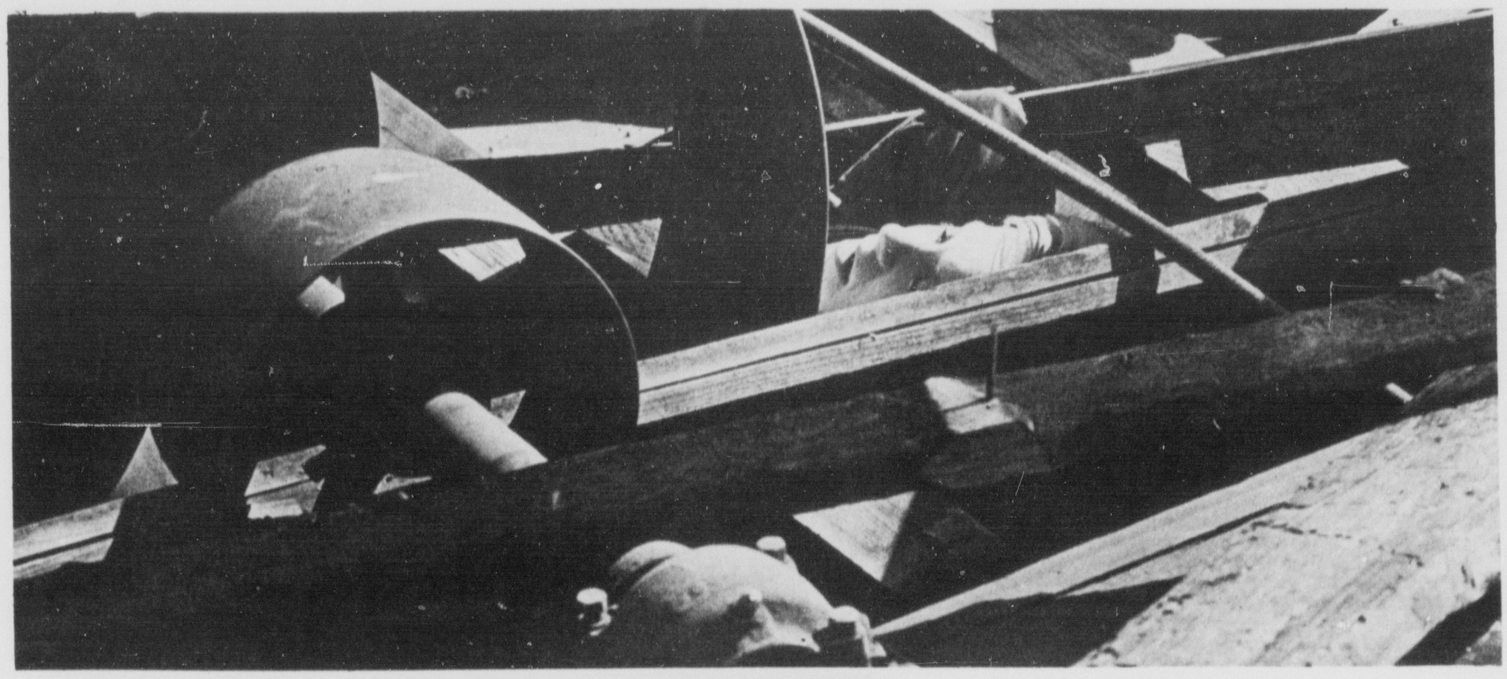

Disaster victims rescued

Mock disaster victim Phylis Eadon, (top photo) is trapped beneath a pile of old machinery at the Sikeston Cotton Gin on North Street awaiting rescue this morning while Carrie Harris (center photo) portrays an amputee at the Anchor Toy Co. building on East Malone Ave. An unidentified disaster victim (bottom photo) is placed on a stretcher at Missouri Delta Community Hospital by John Broom of Mounds, Ill., (left) and Jim Cohn, Sikeston, both hospital employes.

(Daily Standard photos by Tim Ludwig and Ron Porter)

Mock quake hits city

Earthquake hits Sikeston! Two killed, 28 injured! Building collapses on employes! Scattered injuries throughout the city!

This is the way today's headlines could have read if what happened in today's mock disaster had been the real thing.

The "earthquake" occurred at 9 a.m. with scattered injuries and incidents throughout the city. The drill was held to test the efficiency of the disaster system in Sikeston and to meet the accreditation requirements for Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Residents can calm down now if they still haven't found out why police were in intersections directing traffic, sirens were screeching and ambulances were flying toward the hospital. It was all part of a plan to make the mock disaster seem very realistic.

In fact, the drill began half an hour early to surprise even those who had been in on the planning.

The fire department received an alarm at 9 a.m. to go to Sikeston Motor Company on South Main Street. Firemen rushed to the scene only to find that it was a false alarm,... they thought but it was actually another unnannounced part of the disaster. Twenty minutes after getting there, the firemen found a victim who had been crushed by debris.

The earthquake also hit the old Anchor Toy factor on East Malone Avenue, Ralph Distributing Company on West Malone and the old Sikeston Gin Co. lot between the Frisco Railroad tracks and West North Street.

At all of the locations were a total of 30 victims with various types and degrees of injuries, referees to judge the efficiency and speed of those handling the victims; and, after the call was made notifying police of the disaster, police cars, rescue units and ambulances were on the scene.

The heaviest concentration of casualities and injuries was at the Sikeston Gin Co. where 10 people were injured when what was remaining of the buildings collapsed from the vibrations of the earthquake.

Nursing students and operating room technician students, under the direction of Clare Eisenbach, served as victims. The instructors of the class served as referees.

The scene at the disaster sites was very realistic, especially at the old Sikeston Gin Co. Victims there were supposedly buried under wood, tin and other debris. The moans and screams which pierced the air were very realistic as was the make-up, which the victims had applied to their "wounds."

Wounds ranged from chest wounds to a lacerated stomach, which exposed the intestines, an injured eye, and amputated hand, and many others.

Most victims were rounded up very quickly and whisked to the hospital where Dr. Fred Thornton, chief of the disaster committee at the hospital, diagnosed the degree of the wounds. The patients were then rushed to operating rooms or to other places for treatment, depending on the degree of seriousness.

At Sikeston Gin Co., a dead victim was removed. While doing this, one of the rescurers was electrocuted when he touched a live wire that the earthquake had knocked down and declared dead by the referee, then allowed to continue with the drill.

The disaster was declared over at 10:40 a.m. by the police. At 10:30, there was a report that two victims were still missing. After another search of all areas, the victims were found and taken to the hospital. The referees declared their wounds probably fatal because of the length of time which evolved.

At the hospital, during the disaster, Pat Jones, assistant administrator, reported that everything was running smoothly.

The hospital was the busiest place during this

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April food prices dip

WASHINGTON (AP) — Wholesale prices of food and farm products declined in April for the first time in six months but the drop was more than offset by the biggest jump in industrial prices in 22 years, the government reported today.

The decrease in prices for processed foods and farm products was led by a 2.9 per cent drop in meat prices, apparently reflecting the effects of the recent nationwide consumers meat boycott and President Nixon's ceiling on meat prices.

But the prices on a broad range of industrial raw materials rose 1.4 per cent, the largest monthly increase since January 1951, said the Labor department's Bureau of Labor Statistics.

The industrial commodities index is regarded as a truer measure of inflation than food prices as it is less affected by seasonal changes.

Over-all, wholesale prices rose eight-tenths of one per cent in April, a significant jump but below the record 2.2 per cent increase in March.

Wholesale prices usually are later reflected in higher retail prices.

The increase was a little higher—one per cent—on a seasonally adjusted basis. Farm products and processed foods increased one-tenth of 1 per cent seasonally and industrial raw materials 1.3 per cent on that basis.

The President said Wednesday in tightening Phase 3 economic controls that price increases "will probably be higher than we would like for some months" but added that Americans "should be mature enough to recognize that there is no instant remedy for this problem."

The BLS said the wholesale price index rose at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 17.3 per cent over the past six months, sharpest six-month jump since the Korean War inflationary period of 1951.

"Prices in the last three months of the period rose more than in the first three months, reflecting an acceleration in prices of industrial commodities," the government said.

The April increase pushed the wholesale price index up to 130.7, meaning that it cost wholesalers on the average $30.70 more for goods worth $100 in the 1967 base period. This was 11.2 per cent above a year ago.

Among consumer finished goods—those ready for retail sale—food rose 1.4 per cent in April after seasonal adjustment, chiefly because of advances for fresh and dry fruits and vegtables, processed poultry, cereal and bakery products, and a less than seasonal decline for eggs, the report said.

Big increases in fuel prices led the jump in industrial commodities last month, with especially sharp increases for gasoline. Lumber and wood products also continued rising at a fast pace despite government controls.

In farm prices, livestock declined 5.3 per cent in April, but prices were still 37.6 per cent above a year ago; eggs moved down 5 per cent for the month but were up 66.2 per cent over the year; fruits and vegetables rose 11 per cent and were 49.7 per cent for the year.

Grains rose 3.8 per cent in April, 36.4 per cent above a year ago.

In processed foods, meats, poultry and fish averaged a 1.2 per cent drop in April but were 32 per cent above a year ago while manufactured animal feeds declined 8.6 per cent but remained 53.6 per cent higher over the previous year. Dairy products in April increased three-tenths of 1 per cent, 8.3 per cent above a year ago; cereal and bakery products were up 2 per cent for the month and 9.7 per cent for the year; sugar and confectionery rose 1 per cent and 4.8 per cent; crude vegetable oil was up 4.1 per cent and 22 per cent.

Man arrested for leaving accident scene

Lloyd Randy Tippy, 208 Harry, was arrested early this morning for leaving the scene of an accident and driving without a license after his automobile rammed into the rear of another car on North Main Street.

Police said Tippy was apparently following too closely behind an automobile driven by Joe Daniel Hockett, Route Fourt, Box 99a, and ran into the rear of the Hockett car about 1:50 a.m. at the junction of Main and North Kingshighway.

A passenger in the Tippy car, Gerald Francis, Dunn Hotel, received cuts on the head and arms and was treated at Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Tippy was arrested later at his home.

Tippy, Francis and another passenger, David Holifield, had just left a party at El Capri Motel. Police had been called to the motel at 1:30 a.m. by the desk clerk who complained about loud noises coming from the room. Police broke up the party and told everyone to go home.

Chamber program set

NEW MADRID — The program for the sixth annual Chamber of Commerce banquet to be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the high school cafeteria was announced today by president Clint Halstead.

Featured guest speaker will be Henry Maddox of Jefferson City, director of the state Division of Commerce and Industrial Development since 1965.

Maddox is well known by area business, industrial and community leaders through his close association with and work in promotion and development of Bootheel projects.

Past president F. M. Baird will make introductions and give a report of 1972-73 activities.

First vice president Bob Hedgepeth will present awards and Halstead will announce the chamber's projects for 1973-74.

The Rev. Edward E. Wolfe will offer the invocation and the Rev. S. W. Bauer the benediction.

Dinner music will be provided by Bob Donze.

Tickets are available from Joe Hunter, William Baird, Ken Cope and Bob Hedgepeth.

It's inside....

Bill C. Hanna, executive director of Sikeston Housing Authority, is elected state director of the National Association of Housing and Redevelopment Officials. Turn to...page 3.

Morehouse Post Office employes honor Edgar L. Todd for 36 years of service during "Postal People Day". Turn to...page 5.

Area high schools announce baccalaureate and commencement programs. Turn to...page 11.

...and outside

Fair and warmer tonight and Friday; low tonight 45 to 50; high Friday 70 to 75. Probabilities of measurable precipitation near zero tonight and Friday.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Warming trend continuing into Sunday and turning cooler Monday; a period of scattered showers late Sunday or Monday, high Saturday in the 70s, low 45 to 55; high Sunday 75 to 82, low 55 to 62; high Monday 65 to 74; low around 60.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 71 and 44 degrees, accompanied by a trade of Rain.

Sunset today ..... 7:48 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow...6:01 a.m.
Moonset tonight.... 9:17 p.m.
First Quarter .....May 9

PROMINENT STAR

Spica in southeast at moonset.

Jaycees to host conference

The Sikeston Jaycees will host a citizens conference on juvenile justice Monday at 7:30 p.m. at Sikeston High School, according to Joe Welborn, Bloomfield attorney and conference chairman.

The conference, titled, "Turn Around...Get Involved," is open to the public.

Principal speakers are Ronald L. Larkin of Jefferson City, assistant director of juvenile programs for the Missouri Law Enforcement Assistance Council, and John Vargas of Sedalia, director of Project Juvenile Concern of the Missouri Jaycees.

The present system of services to delinquent children and to those who may become delinquent for the want of proper resources is ineffective, uncoordinated, fragmented and costly, according to Welborn. He stated that many of Missouri's children are denied even minimal services primarily because of where they live.

The conference will examine ways of improving the system and services and informing citizens how to become involved in helping assure state leadership in combatting juvenile delinquency and youth crime. Special emphasis will be given to legislation pending in the 77th General Assembly. An open forum between the audience and the speakers will highlight the conference.

Counties comprising the region covered by the conference are Dunklin, Mississipp, New Madrid, Pemiscot, Scott and Stoddard.

The conference is sponsored by the Governor's Committee for Children and Youth in cooperation with the Missouri Law Enforcement Assistance Council's Task Force on Juvenile Delinquency. Co-sponsors include:

Extension youth programs of the University of Missouri; League of Women Voters of Missouri; Missiour Association Civil Air Patrol Directors; Missouri Association of Counties; Missouri Associations of Elementary School Principals

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Teachers retire

Eight retiring teachers from the Sikeston-Morehouse system were honored Wednesday at a meeting of the Sikeston Community Teachers Association. From left, the teachers are: Harry Menken, vocational education, eight years; Annette French, Lee Hunter Elementary School, 32 years; Lucille Stubblefield, Lee Hunter school, 43 years; Thelma Reynolds, Morehouse Elementary School, 37 years; Elizabeth Daniels, Junior High, Morehouse, 48 years; Chester Masterson, counselor, 15 years. Honored, but not pictured were: Lon Stanley, Sikeston High School, seven and a half years; and Willa Alsup, Morehouse Elementary, 48 years.

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Thursday, May 3 — Annual Hermits' Get-together.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

A man makes a living out of his trade or calling and hopes for "success" later on.

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LITIGIOUS AMERICA

The great American legal explosion has the business community running for cover. Time was when the legal department was a quiet backwater in corporate hierarchies. No longer, reports Fortune magazine (April 1973): "That was before class- action suits became a kind of popular sport, before consumerism ... before Americans in general became so litigious." A Fortune poll indicated that big corporations have increased their legal outlays by 75 per cent in the past six years.

The legal boom began sometime in the early Sixties but it got a tremendous boost in 1966 when the Supreme Court liberalized the rules governing class action lawsuits. These actions may be brought by an individual or several persons in their own behalf and in behalf of "all others similarly situated." They permit hundreds, thousands or even millions of plaintiffs to combine their claims in a single action. No consumer class action has ever been fully litigated but many have been settled out of court. The largest settlement was $117 million, paid by five drug companies in 1971 to millions of consumers who alleged price- fixing in the sale of certain broad- spectrum antibiotics.

Still, consumer class actions are difficult to bring in federal courts. The damages involved must exceed $10,000, and a Supreme Court ruling in 1969 declared that consumers could not pool their claims to reach the $10,000 requirement. Consumer advocates are now pressing for a further liberalization, over the protests of an aroused business lobby. Businessmen argue that class actions encourage "ambulance chasing" -- the search for large fees by unethical attorneys -- and "strike suits," in which actions are brought in the hope of extracting large out- of - court settlements. Since the very fact of being hauled into court can harm a company's reputation, many will pay up regardless of the rights and wrongs of the case.

The last Congress considered but did not act on proposed legislation to liberalize class actions. Similar legislation will surely resurface in the current Congress. When it does, watch for a battle royal between the consumer and business lobbies. As the law now stands, the bilked consumer can take his individual complaint to court but the cost of doing so is usually more than he can hope to recover. Liberalized class actions could remove that catch 22 but it could also open a pandora's box of anti- business litigation that could ruin some firms and impose a new burden on the already overstrained federal court system.

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There's the man who wouldn't reveal his age at his birthday party but did admit living through three revivals of wide neckties.

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SCHOOL SAFETY PAYS OFF

If ever there was a dramatic example that school safety programs can save lives, the Sumner, Mississippi tornado was it. By a quirk of nature, circumstances, and timing, the tornado struck at the very moment when a tornado "drill" was being conducted at the West District Junior High and Elementary School in Sumner.

The whirlwind demolished one entire wing of the school, ripping off the roof, smashing concrete block walls to the ground and demolishing the class rooms.

But, because the students had been ordered to conduct their "drill," not one life was lost. Had they not been trained in advance, and had they not been following the safety precautions called for, "I surely wouldn't be lying here talking to you now," one injured teacher told newsmen.

The incident reminds all of us that it is smart to discover, in advance, what to do in an emergency. In case a fire should block exits or stairways from your home, for example, does everyone in the family know what other route to take to safety? Or to what part of the house to live through a Big Windy? 'Twouldn't be a bad idea to hold a "drill."

Hal Boyle

By RICHARD L. STERN
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — All you people out there with your air conditioners humming, vacuum cleaners roaring, electric can openers gnashing, broilers sizzling, toasters popping and garbage disposals grinding, don't blame me for the energy crisis. It's your fault.

I mean I'd really like to help. I'd love to be able to take some of the blame. I dream of sitting at home sizzling some sirloins amid sounds from a quadrophonic music system as the automatic icemaker quietly pop-pops cubes for my bourbon on the rocks.

But I can't possibly help you shoulder the blame. I mean, what should I expect for the $300 a month I pay for a fiveroom apartment in Manhattan? It's a darn good price in the city, right?

Should I complain because we have to turn out the lights when we use the dishwasher? We light a few candles and tell our dinner guests we're creating a little atmosphere.

Should I be annoyed on a hot, summer night when we have to go to bed when it gets dark because we blow fuses when the lights and the air-conditioner are on at the same time? Thank God for Daylight Saving Time.

I'm not complaining, you understand. There are thousands of New Yorkers in similar situations — living in pre-World War I and pre-World War II buildings that often have not been rewired since they were built.

I tell myself that it's healthy to go to bed early.

I admit I shouldn't have gotten angry and cursed at the landlord because I have to disconnect the refrigerator to use the electric boiler.

After all, the apartment is a find. A lot of people pay $300 a month for studio apartments.

As for the gasoline crisis, don't blame me.

It costs $75 a month to garage a car in Manhattan. Who can afford a car? And as for parking on the street, if the car's not stolen or wrecked, there's a good chance the city will tow it away.

But that's another story.

—— Hal Boyle is ill.

The Quarterback

TOMORROW
MAY 4— FRIDAY

MAY FELLOWSHIP DAY. May 4. Theme: 'As hand touches hand.' Sponsor: Church Women United, 475 Riverside Dr. New York, N.Y. 10027.

PRESS AGENTS SHINING HOUR. May 4. 3:15 - 4:15 p.m. Purpose: To recognize the contribution of publicists to American life through their promotion of special events for business and industry. Sponsor: Mpton Riback Inc., Public Relations, Milton Riback, Pres., 20 E. 35th St., New York, N. Y. 10016.

RHODE ISLAND INDEPENDENCE DAY. May 4. Rhode Island. abandoned allegiance to Great Britain on this day, 1776.

SHENANDOAH APPLE BLOSSOM FESTIVAL. May 4-6. Purpose: To welcome spring, celebrate the blossoming of the apple trees and call attention to the apple industry of the area. Sponsor: Shenandoah Apple Blossom Festival, Inc., Box 699, Winchester, Va. 22601.

STUDENTS' MEMORIAL DAY. May 4. Services in memory of four students (Allison Krause, 19; Sandra Lee Scheuer, 20; Jeffrey Glenn Miller, 20; and William K. Schroeder, 19) killed by National Guards during anti-war demonstrations at Kent (Ohio) State University, on May 4, 1970, and of all other students martyred in the cause of human rights.

VALLEY OF FLOWERS FESTIVAL. May 4-6. Florissant, Mo.

WILDFLOWER TOUR. May 4-5. Purpose: A tour conducted by local botanists to identify and photograph wildflowers. Sponsor: Carter County Chamber of Commerce, James T. Pierce, Exec. Dir., Box 190, Elizabethton, Tenn. 37643.

ZUSPA: GRAPHEX 73. May 4-10. Zurich, Switzerland. International trade fair for the entire graphic trade.

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BOND PRESSURED 2 IN MERIT RACE, INQUIRY SAYS
By JACK FLACH
Globe-Democrat
Political Editor

JEFFERSON CITY — Two of the top three men who qualified by tests to become head of the state's merit system were pressured to withdraw by Gov. Christopher S. Bond so the governor could name a man who finished with a poorer score, an investigation has shown.

The governor nominated Edward E. Haynes, 48, an administrative assistant in the Department of Corrections and former head of the medium security institution at Moberly, even though Haynes finished fifth in oral and written examinations. The Globe-Democrat learned April 3.

State law requires the merit system board to submit the highest three candidates taking the tests to the governor, who is required to name one of the three.

Haynes was nominated as director of the Office of Personnel, replacing Norris F. Steenberger who retired shortly after Bond took office this year. The job pays $18,500 a year and the director is in charge of the state merit system which covers about 20,000 state employes. Haynes appointment must still be confirmed by the Senate.

In order to make Haynes eligible, the governor wrote letters to the man who finished first, Edward Godar, and the one who finished third, Brett Schneider, suggesting they waive their right to the job, it was said.

Godar has been assistant personnel director of the division — the No. 2 job — since 1947, and finished with a score of 100.9, a very high grade, according to a board member. Schneider, a senior personnel technician in the division, finished with a grade of 87.8, third best.

Haynes finished fifth in the competitive examinations with a score of 86.4. He became eligible only after Goddar and Schneider waived their rights to the job. Godar, who had the best score, refused Tuesday to discuss Bond's letter, and Schneider was unavailable for comment.

However, sources in the merit system office said it was common knowledge that neither man "wanted to buck the governor" and the request was the same as a demand "only in nicer terms," as one put it.

Harold F. Cox, a Columbia banker, who heads the three - member board over the merit system which conducted the tests, said the procedure "was a little bit disturbing." But he said Haynes became the No. 3 man, eligible after the other two waived their rights to the job.

He said he was "in the dark'' about the correspondence between the governor and Godar and Schneider.

Robert James, assistant to Bond, said the governor had known Haynes for some time and believed he was the man for the job because "he had been a user of the merit system" from his days as head of the Moberly corrections institution.

"We felt there was some need for a director who was not so close to the system. With Godar as Haynes' assistant, we have a strong outside man and a strong inside man," James said.

St. Louis Globe Democrat

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ALL KINDS OF SALESMEN

Some salesmen are like wheelbarrows - no good unless pushed.

Some are like canoes - they need to be paddled.

Some are like kites- if you don't keep a string on them they will blow away.

Some are like footballs - you can't tell which way they are going to bounce next.

Some are like balloons - full of wind and like to blow up unless handled carefully.

Some are like trailers - no good unless pulled.

Some are regular guys, do their work well, and are very cooperative.

WHICH ONE ARE YOU?

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RIDE ON AIR

A prototype vehicle for moving people is to be tested at the Federal Department of Transportation's testing ground in Pueblo, Colo. The vehicle will run on a cushion of air above concrete tracks and will be equipped with linear-induction non-polluting motors. It will accommodate 60 passengers.

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AFTER THIRTY YEARS

Back in 1940, Congress promulgated a broad statement of national transportation policy. The purpose of this congressional policy declaration was to recognize that the railroad industry "... was sorely beset by both regulated and unregulated competitors." The quotation is from the Report of America's Sound Transportation Review Organization (ASTRO). In 1958, Congress redefined transport policy with a directive to the Interstate Commerce Commisssion stating that rates "shall not be held up to a particular level to protect the traffic of any other mode of transportation ..."

As the ASTRO Report makes evident, a large part of the reason for today's rail transportation crisis can be traced to failure to implement the national transportation policy recommended by Congress in 1940. The railroads continue to be treated as though trucks and airplanes had never been invented. "Thus", says the ASTRO Report, "after 30 years, a major point in transportation policy has yet to be defined." And, the loser has been the public. Moreover, the loss to date will be nothing compared to the loss in the future, unless the ASTRO Report's recommendations are acted upon without delay to correct the inequities of an unbalanced transportation system.

As one rail official observes, "For the future, the railroad industry needs the consideration of Congress with respect to the items outlined by the ASTRO Report. The Report has the support of railroad labor and adoption of the program as outlined will permit the industry-- free from age-old restraints -- to build a modern transportation network that will be of tremendous benefit for industrial America."

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FOR THE LAST TIME

Heretofore, in every major military crisis, the United States has had time to marshall its strength. Its security has rested, not so much on the foresight of its citizens, as on the accident of geography that separated it from its enemies by geographical distances and board oceans. There is little doubt that the opening of World War II found our country, for the last time, isolated by sheer distance from military conflict.

The president of North American Rockwell Corporation, Mr. Robert Anderson, is one of those who views with forboding the current unwarranted denunciation of the U. S. defense industry. He says it is undermining public confidence in the integrity of defense procedurement and is resulting in a "gradual erosion", a weakening of this nation's defense posture. He added that an additional danger resulting from these attacks "is the destruction of morale of the dedicated men and women who are part of the defense establishment -- whether in government or industry."

Today, spending for defense represents an estimated 36 per cent of the federal budget - in contrast with 61 per cent in 1952. As Mr. Anderson points out, "... in those declining percentages there is a hidden fact that could spell acute danger for this nation. This country is in second place behind the Soviet Union in the development of new weapon systems." Moreover, the notion that defense contractors are dependent upon defense work and make fat profits is simply not supported by fact.

Concludes Mr. Anderson, "America's defense shield must not be shaped by harangue and denunciation and newspaper headlines. It must continue to be forged in the councils of the Presidency, within the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and in the Congress of the United States."

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GASTRIC ADJUSTMENT

Two cannibals were chatting over lunch. One said, "You know, I just can't stand my mother-in-law."

"Forget about her," the other replied, "just eat the noodles!"

H.L. Hunt

ENERGY COMES FROM PEOPLE, PROFIT

Energy has two importantly different meanings. Most important is the energy of individual human beings. It is the energy of a few creative individuals which has resulted in discovery and utilization of other energy for the benefit of all humanity.

At first the non- human energy was animal power, wind power, water power and the simple mechanical power of the lever, the pulley, etc. For at least 7,000 years, human beings slowly built cities and civilizations in which almost everybody periodically starved or died from disease after a short and brutal life. The rulers, too, lived with vermin, disease and discomfort.

Mankind had not discovered the profit- motive system in those days so most of the energy used had to come from people's muscles, not from their creative brains . It was not until the profit- motive system began to be utilized that a few individuals discovered how to make the most of the energies available in coal, then in petroleum and other hydrocarbons, and then in nuclear power.

It was the freedom to utilize the benefits of the profit motive which resulted in plenty and health for most instead of starvation and disease. Keeping this freedom is the overriding issue of our day. It is our Republic which preserves this freedom and prevents us from descending into another thousand years of disease and brutality like the Dark Ages from 500 A.D. to 1500 A.D. Profit is measured in money because that is the only way so far discovered to exchange produced values. Lack of profit or absence of the profit- motive system is measured in misery. For proof, simply look at the world and look at history. HLH

Inside Labor
By Victor Riesel

Whose Mafia Hand?
Mystery Is: Who in White House Circles Manipulated FBI's High Command?

WASHINGTON--- Now it is crucial to learn who in the White House has been running the FBI since J. Edgar Hoover's death--- running it and running it down, manipulating, smearing it, using it, denigrating it in public opinion, driving out some of its key men and searching key files.

There's more than the politically juicy Watergate here. There is the Mafia. There is evidence some of it was being "protected." There is evidence that many of the 18 coordinated anti- organized crime strike forces were deliberately paralyzed.

In some ultrasonic high Justice Dept. and ex- FBI groups there is a firm belief that critical probes were deliberately and methodically put on the go- easy list.

Furthermore, why did former acting director L. Patrick Gray III send a curious memo to the Justice Dept. which indicated, in effect, that little was being obtained from a 40- day surveilance and bugging and wiretapping of alleged Mafia operations in southern California? The Justice Dept. called off the wiretapping of the Mafia operation reaching from the Chicago mob to the weak California Mafia on which "family" chief Joe Bonanno had been moving in for months.

The FBI affidavit leaked in Los Angeles last weekend is no "alleged" report. It is authentic, I'm told, by the highest Justice Dept. people. Since this is so, it is true that the mob planned to cut in on $1 billion a year in Teamsters' health and welfare funds to the tune of $70 million in commissions. Note that this is separate from the notorious Chicago- based billion- dollar Teamsters' Central States, Southeast and Southwest areas Pension Fund.

To realize the enormity of this Mafia operation, it should be reported that firms who belong to the Trucking Employers Inc., covering some 403,000 Teamsters, pay over $5 million a week in health and welfare contributions.

Another $5.3 million is paid weekly into pension funds. This is a total of some $538 million annually. And this fantastic amount of cash covers but 20 per cent of the Teamsters membership. There are billions of dollars involved here. The Chicago fund, now under heavy FBI and IRS investigation, has some $700 million on loan. Some of it has gone into the weirdest real estate operations.

Now comes the disclosure of the secret FBI wiretapping report and the Justice Dept.'s refusal to permit additional tapping of the southern California mob.

That report has the Teamsters' general president Frank Fitzsimmons allegedly making a deal with three of the California combine, sending them over to confer with multi- millionaire Allen Dorfman--- now a felon doing time in the Marion, Ill., federal penitentiary for kickbacks on pension fund loans--- and meeting twice with one Lou Rosanova.

The latter, according to the records, is a friend of Dorfman's and has been listed in the federal records as one of the top 26 men who ran the Chicago mob. Since some of the 26 are dead or in exile or in prison, Lou Rosanova is presumed to be more powerful than the records show.

It is up to Fitz to tell the country why he met with Rosanova on Feb. 9 and 12 in Palm Springs and in San Diego, respectively. Especially since he hitched a ride home from the Bob Hope golf tournament with President Nixon immediately after conferring with the Chicago underworld courier.

And then there is Allen Dorfman, whom J. Edgar Hoover had linked with organized crime. Why was anyone sent to him after he had been convicted in New York during a brilliant prosecution by Ric Ben-Veniste, chief of the Justice Dept.'s Southern District (N.Y) corruption section?

"Young" Dorfman, now 51, is Jimmy Hoffa's protege. The U.S. parole board's records show that Hoffa and Dorfman conferred not too long ago in Washington.

Dorfman is one of the wealthiest insurance brokers in America. In 1959 he had some 25 major Teamsters clients, including Hoffa's Michigan conference. He would sit in on health and welfare plan and pension board meetings. He has been Hoffa's traveling companion in Europe. And a buddy in the U.S.

Dorfman didn't do it on his personality and neatly- pressed $500 suits.

Allen got his power and Jimmy's affection from his late father, Paul "Red" Dorfman, a thick- necked slugger who ran the Chicago waste handlers' union. Incidentally, Dorfman seized the union back in the '30s from one Jack Ruby who then ran to Dallas and years later killed one Lee Harvey Oswald.

Red Dorfman was considered one of the liaisons with the Chicago mob. He was Hoffa's buddy and partner. So when Allen was moving into the insurance brokerage business, they got it for him--- the health and welfare and pension millions of the Teamsters.

What was Dorfman doing in Palm Springs just about a month before reporting to prison for manipulating Teamsters money? Money which should be reserved for old union brethren in their retirement and, therefore, should be sacred. Why did Fitz send the notorious delegations to him? Why did Fitz see Rosanova, the "West Side" Chicago enforcer? Why did Pat Gray not insist on contined wiretapping of this combine seeking to cut in on the Teamsters' health and welfare millions--- a billion, in fact?

There must be answers. Was anybody being terrorized? If so, how could it reach so high? Was anyone being simply deceived? How could anyone be so silly?

The FBI affidavit showing time, place and participants in meetings with Mafia men seeking to make millions on Teamsters' health and welfare programs is an authentic document.

Who then had the power to quash it?

Washington Merry - Go - Round
By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS:
Haldeman Pulled Hoffa Release Strings

WASHINGTON-- H.R. Haldeman, the ousted White House major domo, personally pulled the strings that opened the prison doors for ex-Teamster boss Jimmy Hoffa.

The incarcerated Hoffa had been promised he would be free by Thanksgiving 1970. This was considered so certain that his wife was permitted to telephone the happy news to him in the warden's office at Lewisburg, Pa., penitentiary."

But for a year, the Justice Department balked at recommending Hoffa's release and the parole board turned him down twice. Not until ex-White House aide Murray Chotiner complained to Haldeman was action taken.

"It appears that nothing substantive has occurred," wrote Chotiner. "It is suggested that it should not take this long to perform if there is going to be any performance."

Chotiner's note to Haldeman was dated November 3, 1971. By Christmas eve, Hoffa was out of prison. His sentence was commuted by President Nixon after hundreds of thousands of dollars had been contributed to the Nixon campaign and after Hoffa pledged to "deliver" the Teamsters Union into the Republican fold in 1972.

Campaign Cash

One source close to the Teamsters claimed the union had raised more than $750,000 for Nixon, most of it in cash, during the 1968 and 1972 campaigns. Much of the money came from Las Vegas gambling lords whose casinos were financed by the Teamsters' pension fund, swore our source.

Another source close to the President told us the amount was smaller. But all sources agreed that a huge cash collection was turned over to former Attorney General John Mitchell, in behalf of the Teamsters, by crime-connected Allen Dorfman.

Mitchell flatly denied receiving any Teamsters contribution. "I was in the business of expending money, not receiving it," he told us.

Dorfman has been linked by the New York Times to Mafia mobsters who allegedly have been trying to cut themselves into a Teamsters' medical program on the West Coast. The Times quoted from an FBI affidavit, which claimed Dorfman put Hoffa's successor as Teamsters president, Frank Fitzsimmons, together with the Mafiamobsters in California last February.

Flew With Nixon

After his meetings with the mobsters, Fitzsimmons flew back to Washington with President Nixon on the presidential plane. Dorfman, meanwhile, began serving a prison term for pension fund fraud and jury tampering.

We have spent several weeks piecing together the story of Hoffa's release. Fitzsimmons made several approaches to Mitchell, beginning in mid-1969, to secure a parole for Hoffa. A promise of parole by Thanksgiving 1970, however, fell through.

A confidential file shows that Hoffa's son, James, made a new approach in early 1971 to Murray Chotiner who was identified by the code name, Mr. Pajamas." Contrary to published reports, Chotiner received no contributions or fees but assisted Hoffa for political reasons. On April 11, a Hoffa family friend, Charles O'Brien, spoke to Hoffa by telephone. A Teamsters associate, who also got on the phone, reported in a confidential memo:

"I told him that I passed on all information concerning himself to Mr. Pajamas who was putting same in the proper place so that the decision makers could make evaluations...(Hoffa) then told me that if he were out, not only could he deliver the Teamsters Union for the Republican party in 1972 but that he could also deliver many construction trade unions as well. He told me that Mr. Fitzsimmons could not deliver anything without him."

Hoffa In Hair

The contact man in the Justice Department, thereafter, was Will Wilson, then chief of the Criminal Division. He told Chotiner on August 10 that both the President and Mitchell wanted "to get the Hoffa matter out of their hair."

Two days later, Wilson promised that "everything either has or will be done by August 20 to assist in the release of Hoffa," but warned it was best "not to move too rapidly (to avoid) premature stories in the press."

Still nothing happened. On October 7, young Hoffa appeared in a letter to Mitchell. The letter quoted Wilson as saying that Mitchell had personally approved an "understanding that the Justice Department would make a recommendation for immediate release on parole. I specifically asked him whether my understanding was with him alone or whether it was with you and the administration. He assured me that it was with you." Chotiner subsequently sent Haldeman a chronological account of the efforts to free Hoffa, along with a note suggesting "it should not take this long to perform if there is going to be any performance."

Footnote: The confidential file indicates that Hoffa suspected Mitchell and Fitzsimmons of deliberately holding up his release. Chotiner refused to comment, saying he "does not discuss matters involving the White House."

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Conservation agent opening

JEFFERSON CITY—Rep. C.F. Cline of Sikeston, 15th District Democrat, said today the Missouri Department of Conservation is accepting applications for employment as conservation agent.

Those interested must be between 22 and 35 years old, 140 pounds to 225 pounds in weight, between 5 feet 8 inches and 6 feet 4 inches tall and pass a physical examination and swimming test.

A high school diploma or certificate of equivalance is required, Cline said. Applicants must pass a written examination and accept assignment to any area in the state.

Starting salary is $6,708 per year, which will be increased to $7,044 after six months.

Those interested in more information may contact Cline at his Bloomfield office or at Sikeston Activity Center.

Body examined

Scott County coroner, Gene Nunnelee, center, examines the body of Theon W. Scheeter, 70, of 135 N. Frisco St. in Chaffee after Scheeter's body was found floating in a roadside ditch in Chaffee at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday. Death was by drowning. Assisting Nunnelee are Chaffee voluntary fireman Bill Hagan, left, and Chaffee fire chief Charlie Uhr. (Daily Standard photo by Glenn Greene)

10 accident patients treated

Ten accident patients were treated Wednesday in the emergency room of Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Candy Moore, 24, Sikeston, bruised left elbow in fall; Alisha Fairhurst, 9 months, Anniston, caught left hand in high chair, bruising index finger; Rhonda Dorris, 11, East Prairie, received multiple cuts and bruises in fall; Michael Medlock, 17, Charleston, cut right leg playing baseball; Stephanie Williams, 7, Charleston, ran into fence cutting face. Paul Romine, 5, Sikeston, bruised right arm in fall; Margaret Baker, 25, Sikeston, bitten by spider; Rodney Lesniewski, 2, Chicago, Ill., cut lip in fall; DeWayne Edwards, 15, Sikeston, fractured right middle finger playing basketball; and Sam Rucker Jr., 50, New Madrid, sprained back at work.

Burgess sentenced to 16 months in jail

BENTON— Dennis Gene Burgess of Charleston was sentenced to 16 months in the Scott County jail and fined $500 Wednesday in Magistrate Court. on charges of driving while intoxicated and driving while operator's license was revoked.

An Attorney was appointed to represent Roy Sanford and Richard Thompson of Scott City and Jackie Wayne Mayberry against charges of stealing personal property from the St. Louis Southwestern Railway Line on April 20.

Sanford is also charged with having possession of narcotics paraphernalia and breaking into the home of Henry Allen Lee on April 21 and stealing $230 and a .22-caliber, nine- shot revolver.

Bond was reduced to $500 and preliminary hearing was set on May 9 for Thomas Simmerman on charges of stealing clothes, a shotgun and other household items valued at $500 on April 16 from Phyllis Jones.

A warrant was issued for the arrest of Gerald Jerome Burnett of Sikeston who failed to appear on charges of selling an automobile without a certificate of ownership.

Preliminary hearing was set on May 29 for Lee Hamilton on charges of assaulting Doris Jean Turner on April 23.

Punishment for Gary Eugene Prindle of Oran was taken under advisement by Judge Lloyd Briggs on a driving while intoxicated charge.

Jackie Ray Lowe of Sikeston was sentenced to six months in county jail and placed on probation for one year after a guilty plea to charges of driving while operator's license was revoked.

Bond was reduced from $5,000 to $2,500 for Alvin Anthony Howell on charges of breaking into the John Snider home and stealing personal property.

Other cases before the court and fines levied included:

Ronald Dale Borders of Dexter, speeding, $10; Travis Wayne Poole of Sikeston, failure to exercise the highest degree of care in driving, warrant issued; Raymond Joshua Tomlinson Jr. of Scott City, no operator's license, taken under advisement.

William Joseph Menz of Scott City, vehicle inspection violation, $10; Pear Edward Farrow of Cape Girardeau, defective steering, $20; Bobbie Jean Howards of Charleston, improper registration, warrant issued.

Shirley Dianne Keller of Benton, failure to drive on right half of roadway, $15; Charles Wesley Massey Jr. of Sikeston, careless and imprudent driving, $25; and Mark Stephen Rhodes of Chaffee, inadequate mufflers dismissed on payment of cost.

Hanna elected state director

Billy C. Hanna, executive director of Sikeston Housing Authority, was elected a state director of the National Association of Housing and Redevelopment Officials at an April 25- 28 meeting in Springfield.

The association is comprised of public agencies, city officials, leading contractors, architectural and engineering firms and interested citizens.

Manager named for sheltered workshops

MALDEN — Mac N. Callis of Malden has been named manager of the Cotton Boll Sheltered Workshop Corp., a non- profit corporation which will operate sheltered workshops for the mentally retarded and developmentally disabled in this area.

Callis' appointment was approved Tuesday night at a meeting of the corporation's board of directors.

The new sheltered workshop manager is a technical instructor at the Tri- County Trade and Technical Center at Malden and earlier served in the same position with the Western Elecric Co.

Married, the 42- year- old Callis has two children and lives in Malden.

Callis' appointment was recommended to the board by Lloyd Spalter, chairman of a special employment screening committee.

Callis' employment was approved to begin May 15.

The board also discussed sites for two sheltered workshops in Dunklin County, one to be located at Malden and the other in Kennett. The Malden workshop will be located at the Malden Industrial Park, while the Kennett workshop will be located on the farm of Mrs. Doris Madden near Friendship. Remodeling of both buildings will be required.

5 injured in area accidents

Two area traffic accidents Wednesday and two early today resulted in injuries to five persons, the highway patrol said today.

Rose Marie Hendrix, 26, of Advance received cuts and bruises at 3:54 p.m. Wednesday when she ran her car off the road and struck a culvert on Highway 51 five miles north of Puxico.

She was taken to Lucy Lee Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

A one- car accident at 11:30 p.m. Wednesday on Highway 61 one and one-half miles south of Perryville resulted in face and knee injuries to Harold Leroy Henson, 41, of Oak Ridge.

The accident occurred when Henson's car ran through a guardrail on a bridge and landed in a creek bed 35 feet below.

Henson was treated and released from Perry County Hospital in Perryville.

Mark Nathaniel Patrick, 21, of East Prairie suffered a left shoulder injury at 1 a.m. today on Highway 77 three miles south of 34 Corners when he lost control of his car, ran off the road and overturned. He was taken to Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston.

Two persons were injured at 1:30 a.m. today on Highway 21 in Iron County seven miles south of Ironton when a pickup truck, driven north by Troy Lee Bellinger, 43, of Pilot Knob, went out of control and ran off the road.

Bellinger received cuts of the forehead and a rib injury and David Christopher Smith, 20, of Pilot Knob suffered a back cut. They were taken to St. Mary's Hospital in Ironton.

Jones truck broken into

The glove compartment of a pickup truck owned by Lewis Jones, 510 N. Kingshighway, was broken into Tuesday night or Wednesday morning, according to police.

An undetermined amount of money was taken from a billfold. The locked glove compartment appeared to have been pried open with a screw driver, police said.

Man killed

FREDERICKTOWN, Mo. (AP) — A Fredericktown man was killed near here Wednesday night when his car apparently went out of control and rolled over.

Police said a car driven by Leroy Dorsey Gifford Jr., 21, was southbound on county road 00 in St. Francois County when it left the road and overturned. Gifford was thrown from the car, which rolled over him, police said.

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Ann Landers

Wives of boozers and gamblers tell how husbands ruined lives

Dear Ann Landers: I didn't agree with your statement that "some boozers go to bars not so much for the booze, but for the companionship that is missing at home." As a woman who has been married to one of the prime boozers of all time, I can tell you the truth is that these men want DRUNKEN companionship. A sober wife won't do.

Shortly after our marriage my husband began to have a drink before dinner. Then he started to have a few drinks after dinner as well. Before long he was getting a head start on the way home. A few months later he was showing up for dinner two hours late--- making very little sense. When I told him I'd appreciate it if he'd come home on time so we could sit down and have a few drinks together, he called me "a good sport." But it didn't work. He'd get pie- eyed and I'd get sick to my stomach. So I quit it.

He started to go to the bars after work again and I decided to take one more shot at it. I agreed to meet him wherever he said after work and be a "companion." That lasted two weeks. I decided I didn't belong in a bar. I had a home, a family to raise, and my pride. I couldn't live like that. I took family counseling, joined Al-Anon, and this is what I learned:

You can't control a drinker by changing your lifestyle to match his. Joining him won't help him stop drinking. It will only encourage him to keep it up.

It's not your fault that he drinks. He'd like you to think it is, but don't fall for it. He didn't leave the house because you had a fight. He PICKED a fight so he'd have an excuse to leave.

If he tells you he isn't interested in sex because you're lousy in bed, don't believe it. A boozer can't perform 90 per cent of the time. It's easier to blame it on you than to admit the truth.

Don't hide the liquor. Don't pour it down the sink and beg him to quit drinking. Hand him his hat, open the door and tell him goodbye. Maybe he'll continue to drink and end up in the gutter. Or he just might hit bottom and decide to save himself. Whatever he decides, let him do it on his own. If you can't walk away from the marriage, walk away from his drinking. Make it HIS problem, not yours.--- Voice of Experience

Dear Voice: I hear you loud and clear. Your letter was twice as long as most I print in this space, but it was too good to cut and I am using every word.

Dear Ann Landers: My husband hasn't worked for over a year. He has gambled away our joint savings account and cashed in a life insurance policy which also went down the drain.

Here's the question: I read somewhere that a wife's earnings are her own. My husband says that when our income tax refund comes (about $400) I owe him half. I told him the entire amount belongs to me since he did not work this past year. He says he is entitled to half because I used him as a deduction by filing a joint return.

Do I owe him the money?--- His, Ours Or Mine

Dear H.O. Or M.: In a state that has community property laws, your husband may well be entitled to half. If there are not community property laws the money might belong to you. Ask a lawyer.

Ann Landers discusses teen-age drinking--- its myths, its realities. Learn the facts by reading, "Booze And You--- For Teenagers Only." Send 35c in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped, envelope to this newspaper with your request.

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Fashion information given area homemakers

Velda Rankin, professor of clothing and textiles, University of Missouri - Columbia, and Mrs. Jean Peters of Sikeston provided educational information and entertainment about fashion for approximately 100 homemakers from Scott, Stoddard and Mississippi counties Friday afternoon at Sikeston Activity Center.

Mrs. Rankin, by way of slides, took the group on animaginary tour to Rome, Paris, London and New York for a brief view of the works of some of the outstanding fashion designers.

In her presentation she discussed designers trademarks and ways fashion conscious homemakers could identify these works.

Mrs. Peters and Mrs. Alberta Ingram, co-ordinated the fashion show which illustrated the current lines of fashion fitting today's busy homemakers, career women and mothers.

Homemakers from Scott, Stoddard and Mississippi counties presented 50 different ensembles of street dresses, lounging wear, sports garments and evening dresses.

Stoddard County homemakers modeling in the fashion show were: Mrs. Larry Yeakey of Bloomfield; Mrs. Harold Lumsden, Mrs. Wilber Wheeler and Mrs. Paul Schuerenburg of Essex; Mrs. Henry Cox of Dexter; Mrs. Jesse Deardorff of Dudley; Mrs. Louise Wiley of Bell City; and Mrs. Larry Riley of Bernie.

Scott County models included: Mrs. John Ashcraft of Scott City; Mrs. Ann Scherer and Mrs. Lillian Westrich of Benton; Mrs. Patricia Moore and Mrs. Colie Taylor of Oran; Mrs. Gertrude LeGrand of Illmo; Mrs. Delane Streeter of Painton; and Mrs. Paulette Hamm of Benton.

Mississippi County models were:

Mrs. David Barnett, Mrs. Bob Stallings, Mrs. Jackie Whiteside, Mrs. Norbert Rolwing and Mrs. Cynthia Bledsoe, all of Charleston.

The program was planned and co-ordinated through the University of Missouri Extension Division. The Area Clothing and Textiles Advisory Committee initiated the idea and was assisted by Jewel Grady, area clothing and textiles specialist.

Members of the advisory committee are Mrs. Paul Trout of Advance; Mrs. Larry Leakey of Bloomfield, Mrs. James Beach of Sikeston, Mrs. Margaret Heuring of Chaffee and Mrs. Lindell Robertson and Mrs. Norbert Rolwing of Charleston.

Murray festival June 23-24

MURRAY, Ky. — Attention all artists and craftsmen! The Murray Art Guild is sponsoring the fourth annual open invitational arts and crafts festival on June 23 and 24. The show will be held in the environmental education center at Land Between the Lakes, Tennessee Valley authority,'s large outdoor recreation and environmental education center located between Kentucky Lake and Lake Barkley in western Kentucky and Tennessee.

Paintings, sculpture, ceramics, wood carvings, needlepoint, candles and leather work are typical of the art which has been displayed in the past. All original work including photography will be accepted. Individuals or guilds are welcome to set up their exhibits on a first- come -first- served basis and will be responsible for any equipment, such as tables and easels which they may need. There will be a $5 registration fee for all entrants.

The festival, which will be held near center station, will be open to the public at no charge from 9 a.m. to dusk. Picnic areas are provided within the Environmental Education Center for visitors and camping sites are located nearby. Light refreshments will be sold by the Murray Art Guild.

Anyone interested in further information concerning the festival or in obtaining entry forms should contact Mrs. Larry (Susanne) Doyle, 103 South 14th St., Murray, Ky., 42071.

New Madrid County marriages number 15

NEW MADRID — Fifteen marriages were recorded in April in the office of Linus E. Young, New Madrid county recorder of deeds.

Richard Lewis Miller, 20, of Wardell Route One and Jean Ann Palmer, 18, of Hayti Route One were married March 29 in Portageville by Roger Graham, minister.

Larry Clyde Hollis, 19, of Malden Route One and Gayla Janice Kent, 18, of Risco were married April 6 in New Madrid by Leo Hedgepeth, magistrate judge.

Julian Eugene Bray Jr., 29, and Saundra Lee Niemann, 29, both of Cape Girardeau, were married April 6 in New Madrid by Leo Hedgepeth, magistrate judge.

Alan Gregory Taylor, 23, of St. Louis and Deborah Ann Hanna, 21, of Portageville were married April 8 in Portageville by the Rev. Wayne E. Stout.

Herbert Floyd Meuier, 38, of McKinney, Tex., and Helen Christine Horman, 26, of Chaffee were married April 7 in Chaffee by the Rev. Ernest Lee.

Joseph Alexander Dodds, 65, of Matthews Route One and Mary Louise Robinson, 46, of New Madrid were married April 8 in New Madrid by the Rev. Robert Burnes.

William Bradley Brune, 24, of Cape Girardeau and Mariam Kathleen Phillips, 22, of New Madrid were married April 7 in New Madrid by the Rev. S. W. Bauer.

Pete J. Graham, 60, of Fredericktown and Agnes Speakman, 51, of New Madrid were married April 11 in New Madrid by the Rev. Edward E. Wolfe.

Robert Joseph Vann, 21, and Jane Marie Ashley, 18, both of New Madrid, were married April 14 in New Madrid by the Rev. Earl G. Statler.

Marvin James Lawless, 16, of Benton and Esther Lavera Duty, 20, of New Madrid were married March 9 in Benton by the Rev. Dale Huff.

Sammy Banks, 43, of Lilbourn Route One and Lena Mae Dobbins, 34, of Howardville were married April 14 in New Madrid by the Rev. Andrew Schoffner.

David Glen Adams, 19, of Sikeston and Pamela Denise Lasters, 16, of Canalou were married April 20 in Sikeston by Elder Cecil Adams.

Levi Robert Camden, 16, of New Madrid and Mary Ann Kelly, 16, of Kansas City were married April 21 in New Madrid by the Rev. Robert Burns.

James A. Smith, 31, and Betty Williams, 23, both of Lilbourn Route Three, were married April 24 in New Madrid by Leo Hedgepeth, magistrate judge.

George Dewey West Jr., 25, and Birdie Beatrice Duff, 19, both of Howardville, were married April 20 in Howardville by the Rev. Walter Davis.

Calendar of Events

SUNDAY

The Southeast Missouri State University choir of Cape Girardeau will present a concert at 8 p.m. at First United Methodist Church.

MONDAY

Sikeston Junior High School PTA will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

MONDAY

The Candace Green Club will meet with Sikeston Order of the Eastern Star Chapter 137 for a covered dish dinner at 6:30 p.m.

TUESDAY

Chapter HB of PEO will meet at 6:15 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Lee A. Bowman, 4 Bel Air. Assistant hostesses will be Mrs. Kenneth R. Masterson and Mrs. Jane Urban.

THURSDAY

American Legion Auxiliary will meet at 6:30 p.m. at Heritage House for a potluck supper.

WEDNESDAY

The Daughters of Isabella will meet at 8 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

The pintail duck is one of the fastest flying of all waterfowl, reaching speeds of 50 to 65 miles an hour.

Risco notes

RISCO— The Kiwanis Club entertained with a basketball supper April 26 in the school cafeteria. Guests included members of the A and B basketball teams and their parents, along with Kiwanis Club members and their wives.

During the evening, Coach Stan Whitson recognized the boys, listed their accomplishments and previewed their hopes and plans for the coming year. He also encouraged Kiwanis members to recruit volunteer help to assist in maintaining interest in basketball among the fourth, fifth and sixth grade boys and suggested inter- class games among those elementary groups.

RISCO— The General Baptist church honored high school seniors of the church with a special service Sunday morning. The Rev. Vernon Self, pastor, was the speaker and Miss Lisa Pettigrew sung a solo, "Something To Live For." Youth leaders, Mrs. Nevel Ornder and Mrs. Deema Pettigrew, presented each senior with a Bible gift at the climax of the service. Honored were Pam Landers, Sharon Lovins, Brenda Sue Allen, Rick McCord, Dicky Allen, Chuck Puckett, Darrell Wilson, Pam Sapp and, in absentia, Jane Smelser.

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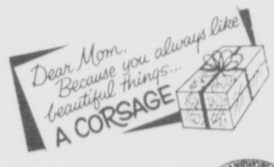

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HOSPITAL NOTES

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
Census Report: 5-3-73

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med- Surg.	114	109	5	0
Pediatrics	29	25	0	4
Obstetrics	14	10	0	4
Intensive Care	7	4	0	3

Patients Scheduled for Admission Today: TWO

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
Released: 5-2-73
Jane M. Culbertson, Sikeston
Ira R. Hunt, Charleston
Ruby P. Trkula, Blanford, Ind.
Virley Matlock, Morley
Nola Morris, East Prairie
Martha Pruett, Sikeston
James E. Fitts, Sikeston
Jerry V. Haines, Karnak, Ill.
Maggie Penrose, Benton
Lucille P. Hall, East Prairie
Alva Gibson, New Madrid
Robert Richards, Sikeston
Randal Burns, Matthews
Mrs. Shirley Clubbs and baby girl, East Prairie
Flora Crouch, Canalou
Prentis Myres, Morehouse
Woodrow Milligan, Cave-In- Rock, Ill.
Edith Harris, New Madrid
Villa Petty, Anniston
Shirley M. Williams, Bertrand
Jeff McCoy, Sikeston
Walter Sneed, Portageville
Betty Barnes, Sikeston
Harold A. Sloas, New Madrid
Total Patients Discharged: 26
Total Patients Admitted: 23
Births: 2
EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT
Accident Patients: 10
Medical Patients: 20
Others: 9
Total Emergcy Patients: 39

DEXTER MEMORIAL
Admitted:
Sidney Lee Shelton, Perkins
George Snow, Malden
William Matney, Dexter
Katherine Foster, Bloomfield
Earnest Harris, Bell City
Wilburn Raber, Advance
Effie Wilkerson, Dexter
Effie Bonnerman
Vicky Wheeler, Malden
Released:
Beulah Gant, Dudley
Annie Jones, EssexMary Whitwell, Dexter
Archie Williams, Bloomfield
Carrie Glenn, Dexter
Carl Cooper, Bloomfield
Claudia Cooper, Bloomfield
Gary Cooper, Bloomfield
Pearl Miller, Bloomfield
Dennis Johnson, Bloomfield
Mae DeJournet, Bloomfield
Katherine Burkhart, Broseley
Charles Allstun, Dexter
Ben Grojean, Essex
William Poe, Dexter
Phyllis McCollough, Bernie

CHAFFEE GENERAL
Admitted:
Glenn McCoy, Lutesville
Peggy Corgia, Chaffee
Released:
Ella Hancock and baby, Hiram
Martha Williams, Brownwood
Eula Powell, Puxico
Harry Armes, Chaffee
Elmer Nenninger, Leopold

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL
Admitted:
Rachel Hollowell, Caruthersville
Cathy Mangrum, Caruthersville
Rosemary Stamm, Caruthersville
Bessie Johnson, Caruthersville
George Wood, Caruthersville
Mary Buchanan, Caruthersville
Cathy Batley, Caruthersville
Mae Odom, Hayti
Jennifer Howren, Hayti
Sallie Thomas, Hayti
Sylvester Robinson, Hayti
Kathryn Hendrix, Hayti
Bruce White, Lilbourn
Mae Blackburn, Steele
Francis Lack, Dexter
Released:
Eulis Davis, Caruthersville
Marvin Lee, Caruthersville
Ronnie Truss, Caruthersville
Baby girl Morrow, Caruthersville
Ollie Jones, Caruthersville
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Club honors four members

Girl of the Year Awards were presented April 24 at the 42nd annual Founders Day dinner for the four Sikeston chapters of Beta Sigma Phi. Girls of the Year winners, from left, are Judy Comer, Luanne Bixler, Lila Harwell, who presented gifts to the winners, Myrtle Nunelee and Lila Brannock. The dinner was held at the Dutch Pantry.

BIRTHS

GOSCHE — Mr. and Mrs. Don Gosche of Chaffee are parents of a daughter born Friday at 11:13 p.m. at Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau. She weighed six pounds 15½ ounces and has been named Sherri Lynn. She is the third child, second daughter.

Mrs. Gosche is the former Miss Alice Horrell, daughter of Mrs. Pauline Horrell of Oran. Gosche is employed by Wetterau Foods at Cape Girardeau and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gosche of Chaffee.

NETTELER — Mr. and Mrs. John Netteler of Sikeston Route Two are the parents of a baby girl born April 13 at 3:20 a.m. in Missouri Delta Community Hospital. She weighed six pounds 13 ounces and has been named Sara Kristine. She is the second daughter.

Mrs. Netteler is the former Ginger Chism, daughter of Harold Chism of Pekin, Ill., and Mrs. Cuma Chism of Sikeston. Netteler is the son of Sylvester Netteler of St. Louis and Mrs. Patricia Netteler of Sikeston. He is an agent for Prudential Insurance Co. in Sikeston.

BSP awards go to four

Judy Comer, Luanne Bixler, Myrtle Nunnelee and Lila Brannock were honored with Girl of the Year Awards April 24 at the 42nd annual Founders Day dinner at the Dutch Pantry for all four Sikeston chapters of Beta Sigma Phi.

Jewell Bell presided as toastmistress for the evening. Roger Tolliver sang for the group and was accompanied by Mrs. Elmer Poage.

Presenting the Girl of the Year Awards were Marian Pratt, Bea Stauffer and Erma Braswell.

Lila Harwell, city sponsor, presented several gifts.

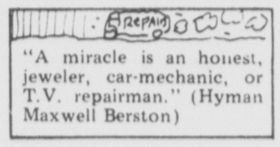
Little Miss Bloomfield crowned

BLOOMFIELD — Tracey Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Wilson, was crowned 1973 Little Miss Bloomfield at Saturday's annual pageant sponsored by the Junior Federated Club.

Lisa Williams was chosen first attendant and Tracy Brooks second attendant.

Music was provided by a chorus of third graders directed by Joanne Dale and a medley by Regina Chappell and Randal Hutchinson.

The retiring Little Miss Bloomfield was Kelly Brooks.



"A miracle is an honest, jeweler, car-mechanic, or T.V. repairman." (Hyman Maxwell Berston)

Morehouse observes 'Postal People Day'

MOREHOUSE-- The Morehouse Post Office held "Postal People Day" open house Monday afternoon as part of its observance of "Postal Week". The lobby was decorated in red, white and blue streamers and a centerpiece of red, white and blue flowers was flanked on either side by an American flag.

Evelyn Taylor, officer—in— charge, opened the program with a welcome address and introduced the Rev. Elvin Leckrone, pastor of the Morehouse Church of the Nazarene and a retired postal employe since June, who offered the opening prayer. The "National Anthem" was then played by three members of the Sikeston High School freshman band.

Viva Sexton was given recognition for her years of service as part- time and substitute clerk at the Morehouse Post Office and also a part- time employee at the Sikeston Post Office. Recognition was also given to two former part- time clerks, Elizabeth Hart and Shirley Kasting, who were in charge of refreshments of cookies and punch after the program.

The highlight of the program was a retirement ceremony for Edgar L. Todd who retired March 30 after 36 years, 10 months and 14 days of service as postmaster of the Morehouse Post Office. Sikeston Assistant Postmaster Ewart Taylor presented Todd a retirement award and congratulated him on his many years of efficient and dedicated service to the post office, which has attained the highest efficiency ratings.

Todd, at one time, was awarded a letter of commendation from the St. Louis Regional Office for having the "highest efficiency rating possible." A certificate of achievement was also awarded the Morehouse Post Office during his postmastership for "significant accomplishments in the Environment Improvement Program".

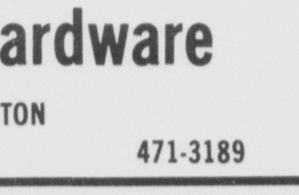
Todd served in the Navy during World War II approximately 33 months, attached to the Fleet Post Office in San Francisco, Calif.

He was recalled to one year of active duty by the Navy during the Korean conflict and was attached to the Fleet Post Office at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

He is a member of the Morehouse United Methodist Church, has served as president of the official board and is a past president of the Methodist Men's Club. He and his wife, the former Mildred Tucker, a retired postal clerk for 28 years who twice served as military acting postmaster, have two children, Garry L. Todd of Lake Charles, La., and Mrs. William E. Largent of San Diego, Calif., and five grandchildren.

In closing the program, Mrs. Taylor read a message from Postmaster General E.T. Klassen about "Postal Week" being an appropriate occasion for recognition of the vital responsibilities assigned to the mail service and the challenges which must be jointly met by postal people and by the millions of citizens throughout American who depend upon the mail as an essential part of their personal and business lives.

The members of the freshman band provided music during the social hour that followed during which souvenir first day issue envelopes were given and "Postal People" commemorative stamps were sold.



Dexter Calendar

DEXTER — The annual junior- senior prom and banquet will be held Saturday at 7:30 p.m.

DEXTER — Church Women United will celebrate May Fellowship Day Friday at Second General Baptist Church.

Registration and social hour will begin at 9:30 a.m. in the dining hall, and the program will begin at 10 a.m.

The theme will be "As Hand Touches Hand". Donations from the meeting will be used to help the poor in the Bootheel.

Mrs. Myrtle Edwards, Rural Missouri, Inc. nurse, will explain the needs and condition of the poor in this area.

Dexter Church Women United have sent hundreds of pounds of material to the needy.

Anyone who has extra clothing, quilts or baby layettes is asked to bring them to the meeting. Mrs. Edwards will distribute them among the poor.

Examples of health, sewing and school kits will be displayed.

Baby sitters will be provided.

Mrs. Charles Acord will be the leader.

Bloomfield Calendar

BLOOMFIELD — A spring band concert directed by George Bates will be held tonight at 7 in the school gym.

BLOOMFIELD — The junior- senior prom and banquet will be held Saturday with the banquet beginning at 7 p.m. and the prom at 8.

BIRTHS

HEATH — Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Heath of Cape Girardeau are parents of a son born April 29 at 8:25 p.m. at Southeast Missouri Hospital. The child has been named Charles Christopher.

Mrs. Heath is the former Emma Jane Proffer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Proffer of Sikeston. Heath is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heath of Fenton, formerly of Sikeston.

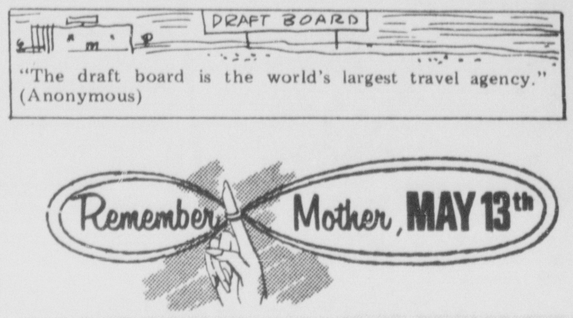
KIRTLEY — Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kirtley of Bell City are parents of their first child, a daughter born April 13 at 9:47 p.m. at Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston. She weighed eight pounds 15 ounces and has been named Angela Dawn.

Mrs. Kirtley is the former Vickie Boley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Boley of Bell City. Kirtley is the son of Mrs. Fern Johnson and the late Carl Kirtley.

GROJEAN — Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Grojean of Chaffee are parents of their first child, a son, born Saturday at 4:13 a.m. at Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau. He weighed five pounds 13 ounces and has been named Robert Joseph II.

Mrs. Grojean is the daughter of Mrs. Leota Rievley of Illiopolis, Ill., and Grojean is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Grojean of Chaffee. He is employed by Todt Sheet Metal Co. in Cape Girardeau.

Now ear this: fish apparently hear, for they can be trained in an aquarium to come to the side of the tank for food when a bell is rung.



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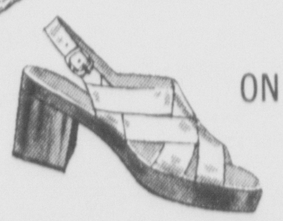

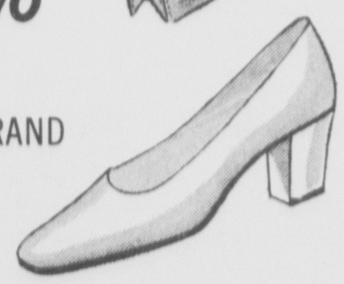

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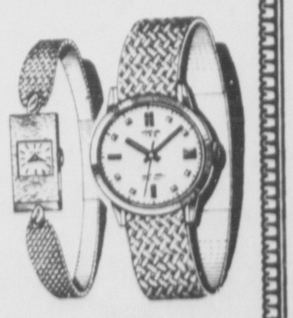


VOELKER'S CREDIT JEWELERS
DOWNTOWN SIKESTON

County recorder lists 38 deed transactions

BENTON — Thirty- eight deed transactions were recorded in the office of John Bollinger, Scott County recorder of deeds, for the week ending April 20.

Kathryn A. and Vernon O. Ayers deeded to Oran E. and Peggy Ann Mogan, by warranty deed, lots 19 and 20 in block 10 in McCord's Subdivision of Sikeston.

Clarence and Mary B. Cantrell deeded to Nadine Battin, by warranty deed, lot 7 in Cantrell Subdivision.

Lesla and Clarence Cook deeded to Leola and Clarence Cook, by warranty deed, lot 16 in block 3 of Sunset Third Addition in Sikeston.

Dwight Crader deeded to Bob C. and Dorothy H. Nowell, by trustee's deed, lot 3 in block 15 of Clayton's Addition of Sikeston.

Jerry M. and Wilma P. Crowley deeded to Robert Allen and Amy W. McCord, by warranty deed, lot 10 in block 10 of the original town of Sikston.

Vincent L. and Mary G. Day deeded to Illinois Avenue General Baptist Church, by warranty deed, lot 5 in block 6 of McCord's Subdivision.

Albert L. and Elizabeth Dockins deeded to Dallas F. and Lucille C. Mullenix, by warranty deed, lots 10 and 11 in block 24 of McCoy and Tanner Fifth Addition of Sikeston.

Allen and Charlene Durbin deeded to Bob C. and Dorothy H. Nowell, by trustee's deed, lot 3 in block 15 in Clayton's Addition of Sikeston.

Marvin and Lois J. Eichhorn deeded to William R. and Amebia L. Simpson, by warranty deed, lot 33 in block 5 in the original town of Chaffee.

First National Bank of Sikeston deeded to Oscar V. Jr. and Kathryn A. Ayers, by partial release deed, lots 19 and 20 in block 10 in McCord Subdivision of Sikeston.

Federal Housing Authority commissioner deeded to George Woodrow Jr. and Patricia E. Bolen, by warranty deed, lots 2 and 3 in block 10 in Clayton Heights Addition of Sikeston.

Thomas R. Gilmore deeded to Kenneth D. and Lynda K.Morris, by deed of personal representative, lot 18 in block 13 in Chamber of Commerce Addition of Sikeston.

Linnie and Thomas Holmes deeded to Doyle W. and Ruthie C. Braddum, by warranty deed, lot 8 in block 2 in Annex Subdivision.

William P. and Lillie Mae Hopper deeded to Mable King, by warranty deed, lot 7 in Hopper's County Lots.

William P. and Lillie Mae Hopper deeded to Granville Deshiger, by warranty deed, lot 4 in Hopper's County Lots.

William P. and Lillie Mae Hopper deeded to Margaret Ann and Lonnie Masters, by warranty deed, lot 5 in Hopper's County Lots.

Willaim P. and Lillie Mae Hopper deeded to James Allen Hopper, by warranty deed, lot 2 in Hopper's County Lots.

William P. and Lillie Mae Hopper deeded to Merle Ray and Shirley Hopper, by warranty deed, lot 1 in Hopper's County Lots.

William P. and Lillie Mae Hopper deeded to William Hopper Jr., by warranty deed, lot 8 in Hopper's County Lots.

William P. and Lillie Mae Hopper deeded to James and Marilyn Hopper, by warranty deed, lot 6 in Hopper's County Lots.

Virgil D. and Evelyn J. Hyslip deeded to Jeff D. and Frances Fisher, by warranty deed, lots 48 in in Sikeston's East Addition of Sikeston.

Henry Kanaske deeded to Louie and Audrey Hirschowitz, by warranty deed, lot 12 in block 8 in C & A.J. Matthews Addition of Oran.

Elwood Kinder deeded to Vernon D. and Donna F. Brown, by warranty deed, lot 18 in block 5 in Chamber of Commerce Addition of Sikeston.

David and Christine Agnes Kimes deeded to Charles M. and Saundra Fordge, by warranty deed, lot 9 in block 5 in Stallings Addition of Sikeston.

Addie L. Love deeded to Kenneth D. and Lynda Morris, by deed of personal representative, lot 18 in block 13 in Chamber of Commerce Addition of Sikeston.

Addie L. Love deeded to Kenneth D. Morris, by order, lot 18 in block 13 in Chamber of Commerce Addition of Sikeston.

Ronald G. and Janet M. Mason deeded to James Herman and Modgeleene M. Wood, by warranty deed, lot 71 in Jones Subdivision of Sikeston.

William E. and Betty E. Miller deeded to Paul Copman, by warranty deed, lot 12 in block 6 in the original town of Chaffee.

William and Betty Miller deeded to William and Betty Miller, by warranty deed, lot 21 in block 6 in the original town of Chaffee.

Robert A. and Amy W. McCord deeded to H. Herb and Doris Stephens, by warranty deed, block 1 in Kindred's Subdivision of Sikeston.

Robert A. And Amy W. McCord, deeded to H. Herb and Doris V. Stephens, by warranty deed, block 1 in Kindred's Subdivision of Sikeston.

Robert and Amy McCord deeded to Albert L. and Elizabeth Dockins, by warranty deed, lots 10, 11, 12 and 13 in block 3 of Keith and McCord's Subdivision.

Robert Allen and Amy McCord deeded to Jerry M. and Wilma Crowley, by warranty deed, lots 9 and 10 in block 10 in the original town of Sikeston.

Pasco Marketing Inc. deeded to Jerry M. and Wilma P. Crowley, by warranty deed, lots 9 and 10 in block 10 in the orginial town of Sikeston.

Security Federal Savings and Loan Association deeded to William P. and Lillie Mae Hopper, by partial release deed, lots 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in Hopper's County Lots.

Secretary of Housing and Urban Development deeded to George Woodrow and Patricia Bolen, by warranty deed, lots 2 and 3 in Clayton's Heights Addition of Sikeston.

State Bank of Morehouse deeded to Charles M. and Mary Mitchell, by partial release deed, lots 2 and 3 in Lillian A. Smith Addition of Sikeston.

Ziegenhorn Insurance Agency Inc. deeded to Lewis Construction Co. Inc., by warranty deed, lot 2 in block 3 in Hunter Acres West Addition of Sikeston.

Bartlett resigns

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Daniel Bartlett Jr., U.S. attorney for the Eastern District of Missouri the last four years, announced his resignation Monday and said he will return to private law practice.

"It's just a matter of economic necessity," said Bartlett, 44, whose resignation is effective May 15.

"I took a cut in income when I was appointed. I have fulfilled my term, which I agreed to do when I was appointed in 1969," he said.

Bartlett's current salary is $36,000 a year. He intends to join with a St. Louis law firm.

Planes cause controversy

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — The state Highway Patrol may have violated state constitutional provisions in plans to buy two airplanes, according to a copyrighted story Wednesday in the Jefferson City Post Tribune.

The story said part of the $75,000 the patrol has reserved to buy the planes comes from state highway funds, which the newspaper said is prohibited by law.

Follow Through program receives recognition

HOWARDVILLE — Dr. Arthur L. Mallory, state commissioner of education, in a letter to Dr. George S. Reuter Jr., superintendent of schools of New Madrid County R-1 enlarged school district, sent his congratulations for the recent Follow Through recognition.

"We are always happy to learn that a Missouri school has received recognition for superior accomplishments, and it is particularly gratifying when one of our schools receives national recognition ... This is another reminder to us that the young people of Missouri are in good hands," Dr. Mallory stated.

The Portageville Follow Through program was the only Follow Through program in the nation to be invited to the 1973 Education Fair in Washington. The high honor to be a part of this important event was noted by Mallory. The conference for educators is sponsored by United States Office of Education's Bureau of Elementary and Secondary Education and is designed to facilitate the sharing of successful educational practices and to assist state educational agency personnel in the identification, validation and dissemination of these practices.

About 45 projects will be exhibited and demonstrated at the Shoreham Hotel in Washington, D.C., for the benefit of approximately 1,000 invited federal, regional, state and local educators.

The projects were selected for the education fair because they match several of the priorities established by the Office of Education for the year. They were chosen from among several hundred projects validated as exemplary by state officials and onsite teams.

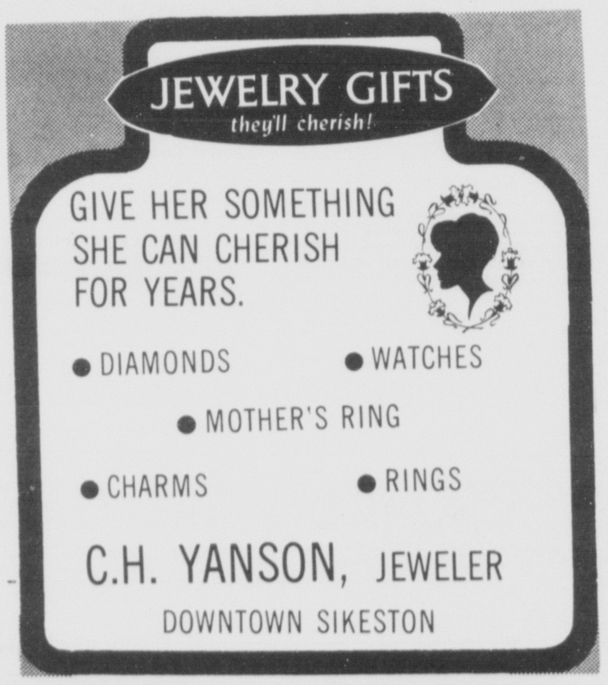
To be considered as examplary, projects must: (1) have evidence of success, (2) be reasonably priced, (3) be relatively innovative, and (4) be exportable to other schools with similar needs.

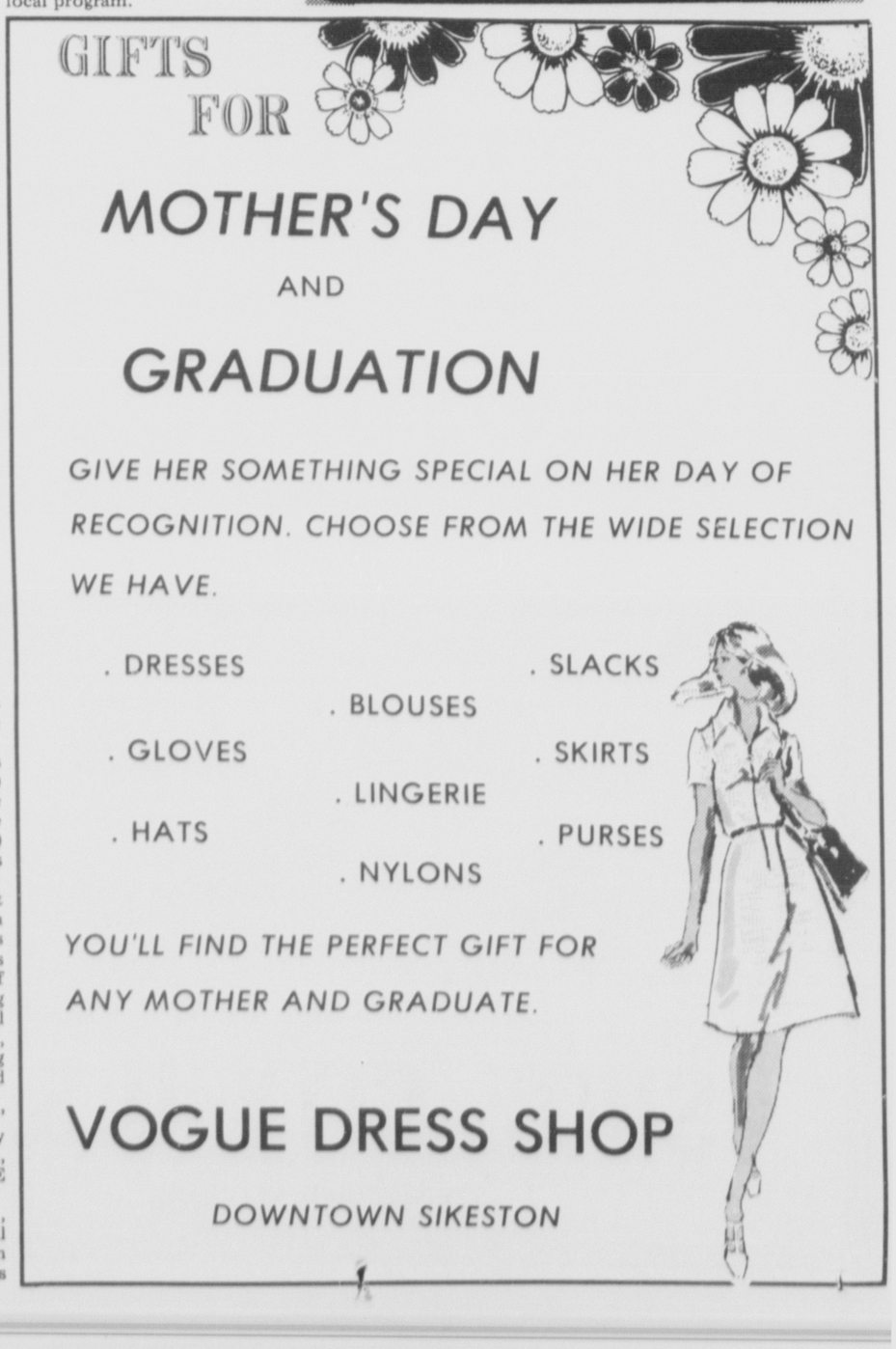
The exhibits will represent about 30 demonstration projects as well as approximately 15 exhibits representing other Office of Education programs, including the Handicapped, Equal Education Opportunity, Libraries and Learning Resources, Right- to- Read and Impacted Aid programs.

"State- of- the- Art" sessions are scheduled on May 10 to report on the research, practice and trends in nine OE priority areas.

On the final day, May 11, there will be three technical assistance workshops on promising state developments toward the producer- consumer school brokerage concept and the related identification, validation and dissemination (IVD) process. Two workshops relate to plans for conducting future education fairs and the development of a handbook on conducting state education fairs. Another workshop will highlight some of the more promising administrative reforms instituted in recent years.

Blaine E. Martin and Mrs. Clara E. Myracle, Portageville, directors of the Follow Through program, will be in Washington to represent the local program.





Calm weather will give rivers chance to recede

ST. LOUIS (AP) — A "tranquil" weather picture over the midwest through the weekend will give the flooding Mississippi, Missouri and Illinois rivers a chance to recede. But, the recession will be delayed by new crests on the upper reaches of the Mississippi, the river district office of the National Weather Service reported Wednesday night.

Heavy rains in Iowa, northern Missouri and western Illinois caused the weather service to issue new crests along the Mississippi from Winfield northward, but the added runoff was to only slow down the receding river further south at St. jlouis.

"Things should begin falling again after these new crests move through," a forecaster said.

The river at Winfield, where flood stage is 26 feet, was marked at 34.9 feet Wednesday and was expected to rise to 35 feet by Saturday. Slight increases in the river's level were also to take place at Quincy, Ill., and Louisiana and Hannibal, Mo.

The Mississippi at St. Louis registered 40.4 feet Wednesday and was to continue receding slowly, reaching 37.5 by Saturday.

"It's going to take a couple of weeks for them to fall below flood stage and that's assuming there will be no rain for a twoweek period," the forecaster said.

He added that assuming no rain for two weeks in May is "really going out on a limb."

The Corps of Engineers said it had a million sandbags available if the river situation should again become critical.

"People tend to downgrade the situation after the crest has passed," a corps spokesman said, "but the situation is still serious. We're still higher than the crest last month and we thought that was a bad flood."

The heavy rainfall also caused the Missouri River to swell and the weather service predicted crests slightly above flood stage at points between Waverly and Jefferson City, Mo., by Friday. The river would be at 30 feet Sunday at St. Charles near its mouth, five feet over flood stage.

The Missouri at St. Charles was at 29.0 feet Wednesday.

The corps has estimated that more than $150 million in damages will have been done in Missouri and Illinois because of the flooding which first began in early March. The Mississippi at St. Louis has been above the 30-foot flood stage since March 7.

Wednesday was the 53rd consecutive day the river was over flood and the corps said the 58-day record set in 1844 would probably be broken.

The American Red Cross estimated Wednesday that 8,675 persons have been directly affected by the flooding in Missouri and Illinois.

Commercial navigation the Mississippi, Missouri and Illinois rivers continued to be banned because of fear of possible wave-wash damage to flooded homes.

Some 500 commercial barges were reported moored along the Illinois side of the Mississippi north of Cairo.

A corps spokesman said barge line operators have been pressuring the corps to reopen the river to traffic, but he said it will be some time before navigation will resume on the three rivers.

Less than half of the 81 Coast Guard reservists called up at the beginning of the most recent flooding remained on duty Wednesday. The Coast Guard said the reservists were being released as the outlook brightened.

Nixon stiffens wage-price-control

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon has stiffened his wage- price- control system to require a closer government watch over price boosts by big companies. But he says consumers should expect inflation to be a problem for several months.

"We should be mature enough to recognize that there is no instant remedy for this problem," Nixon said Wednesday as he announced new steps to try to moderate surging price increases.

The President ordered large companies, those with annual sales of $250 million or more, to notify the government in advance if they intend to raise company- wide average prices by more than 1.5 per cent above the levels of Jan. 10.

The effect would be to delay such price increases by 30 days, the time it would take the Cost of Living Council to determine whether they met government standards.

It was a step back toward the Phase 2 mandatory wage-price- control system that Nixon abandoned on Jan. 11, but the administration stopped far short of reverting to that approach.

Treasury Secretary George P. Shultz said he has no idea how many of the approximately 650 companies affected by the new guideline are getting close to the 1.5-per- cent limit.

He described Nixon's move as "an insurance policy, a sort of preventive measure."

Nixon also announced that the government bureaucracy to administer and enforce Phase 3 controls will be bolstered. The Cost of Living Council will get about 100 new employes and the Internal Revenue Service about 500 more to enforce the controls.

Also, the White House said the 650 largest companies will be required to make a full and detailed report on price increases posted since Phase 3 began.

In disclosing the new steps, the President said he rejected stronger actions such as a new wage- price freeze, stiff controls or price rollbacks. Freezing prices now would cause shortages, he said. If meat prices had been forced back to January levels, as Congress debated, instead of boycotts consumers would be storming supermarkets, he said.

Noting that he has moved to increase supplies to deal with surging food prices, Nixon said tough controls would hurt consumers as well as farmers.

"The country needs more food," Nixon said, "and American farmers have never failed to deliver when the country needed them."

Park Service lists Swank House

WASHINGTON— Rep. Bill D. Burlison, Missouri 10th District Democrat, today announced that he has been informed by National Park Service that the Swank House, located west of Charleston in Mississippi County, Mo., has been included in the National Register.

The Jacob Swank House, also referred to as the "Old Brick House", was constructed in 1839. This site is unique in that it is an example of classic revival of residential architecture in brick masonery construction and is also of historical importance because the original owner and builder was one of the early settlers in the area.

Burlison explained that the National Register is the official schedule of the nation's cultural property worth preserving and serves as a protective inventory of irreplacable resources from our nation's past.

PINK FLOYD PLAY FOR BALLET

PARIS (AP) — Roland Petit's Ballets de Marseille presented four performances of "The Pink Floyd Ballet" in the Palais des Sports Feb. 3 and 4.

Unlike most rock ballets, which are performed to taped music, Petit's production featured live onstage performances by the Floyd and used many of their lighting, smoke and fireworks effects.

Songs included "Echoes," "Careful with that Axe, Eugene," "One of These Days" and "Obscured by Clouds."

Se Mo Scout Council sponsors camporee

CAPE GIRARDEAU— Eleven hundred Boy Scouts will be camping under the canvas in Southeast Missouri Friday, Saturday and Sunday according to Vic Hill, activities chairman of the Southeast Missouri Council of Boy Scouts of America.

Five locations will be used as scouts from the 14- county area participate in the spring camporee.

Camping chairmen for the five districts are Joe Schea of Perryville, Shawnee District; John Peel of Sikeston, Okeechobee District; James Stoll of Poplar Bluff, Osage District; Walter Johnson of Dexter, Sioux District; and Gene Slinkard of Senath, Seminole District.

Scouts from the Cape Girardeau area will camp on a farm near Neeleys landing. The Sikeston area group will camp on the Durward Dover farm near Oran. Dexter area scouts will use a farm near Dexter and Dunklin and Pemiscot county area scouts will use Crowley's Ridge Park. Poplar Bluff area scouts will camp west of Poplar Bluff at Beaver Lake.

This year a new program has been added to the Camporee, according to John Paul, Okeechobee camporee chief. Cub Scouts are invited to take part in a field day at this year's camporee.

For many Cub Scouts this will be the first time they have been able to take part in an organized program of events. The Webelos Cub Scouts, 10-year- olds, are also invited to camp out either Friday or Saturday evening and take part in the field day events Saturday.

The Rev. Don Bass of Sikeston is the Cub Scout Field Day chairman.

E. Prairie Scouts tour space center

EAST PRAIRIE— Thirty-two members of Boy Scout Troop 37, accompanied by their leaders and several parents, spent last weekend in Huntsville, Ala., where they toured the Alabama Space and Rocket Center, National Aeronautics and Space Administration's Marshall Space Flight Center and hiked the 11- mile Space Walk Scout Trail.

While there the group toured the world's largest space vehicle test center and viewed the stands where the Saturn V moon rocket was tested. The space simulators where Skylab astronauts train for future missions and future space vehicles under development were also part of the tour.

The scouts spent two nights in the Redstone Arsenal and completed their trip with a tour through the Monte Sano Observatory and Planetarium.

The Space Walk Scout Trail is located near Huntsville in the foothills of the Smoky Mountain range. The trail was established for the purpose of providing an awareness of the natural beauty in the area.

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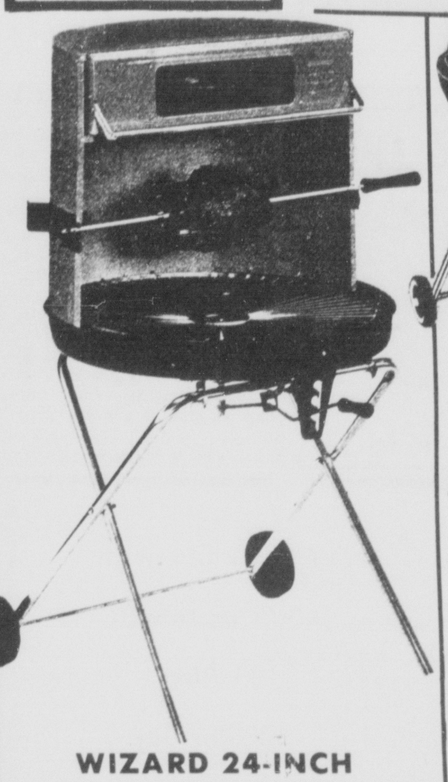

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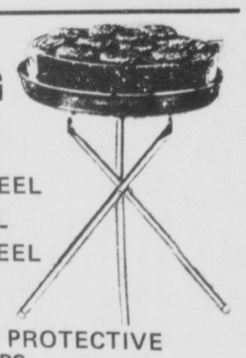

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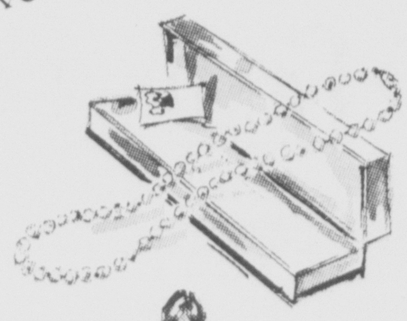

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Letters to the editor

Mary Nolen
The Daily Standard
Sikeston, Mo.

Dear Miss Nolen,

We've only been receiving the Daily Standard for a few days now. Already we've made up our minds that its one of the best. Please let us know who sells this paper here in Chaffee. I also would like for you to print the news of our son who is in the Navy.

Thank you,
Mrs, D. C. Carnell
426 Dame
Chaffee, Mo. 63740

April 16, 1973

Dear Sir:

I would like for you to print this in your newspaper.

I would like to have the descendant of Janey Bell Chaney Givens write to me.

Mrs. Chester Daum
Rural Route 2
Arcola, Ill. 61910

April 25, 1973

Dear Editor:

I wish to clarify my position that Mr. W. T. Woods of Bertrand, Mo. so maliciously twisted.

Mr. Woods had the audacity to suggest that Kit Bond was a "complete failure as a man" till he became Governor. And Mr. Woods seems to think that this is a pattern in politics now. I wrote in reply, that since Mr. Woods seems to find it convenient to attack our young governor for no reason at all, and with no argument to support his outrageous statement, that Mr. Woods might see the same pattern in our late President John Kennedy.

Mr. Woods, as might be expected, was shocked at the thought. In his reply letter he wrote that I should not become so obsessed that I would "pick the carcass of a fallen hero for petty politics." I suggest Mr. Woods that you don't become so obsessed in hero worship that you fail to see the facts.

I have searched through many texts, and books, and I fail to see why John F. Kennedy is a "hero" as Mr. Wood suggests. If sudden death (assassination in this case) qualifies one as a hero, then I suppose some sick person might just consider Lee Harvey Oswald a hero. I also question each of the points that Mr. Woods made that qualified JFK as a hero.

Point number one is the "courage" John Kennedy displayed during World War II as commander of a PT boat. I cannot dispute the courage of JFK in his efforts to rescue his crew after PT 109 was cut in half by a Japanese ship. Though I question how a ship as small as a PT can be rammed into another ship in the middle of the Pacific.

In a recent article in the St. Louis Globe Democrat Miss Nancy Clinch is interviewed about her book "The Kennedy Neurosis". When asked about PT 109 and the fact that Kennedy was a hero she wrote:

"I don't think just a brave person does a thing like racing the boat at the dock and reversing the engines at the last minute. He was warned that the engines couldn't take that kind of strain. Sure enough, one day his engine konked out and the boat slammed right into that dock. He was lucky he didn't kill anybody. I don't think that's very rational behavior. He showed recklessness in other areas of his naval career too. He would take his gunboat and go on very dangerous missions. Another officer was quoted as saying that the men didn't like to go out with him because he took so many chances."

Mr. Wood's next point is JFK's generosity in turning over his presidential salary and profits from the movie PT 109 to charity. This was indeed very charitable, but considering Kennedy was a millionaire at age 21, it doesn't seem surprising. In fact it would be very difficult for someone to look in the records and see where and when Kennedy ever worked for a living. And I doubt if most congressmen can afford to go to France on a vacation anytime they wish as JFK could and did.

Next Mr. Woods tell of how JFK was the "friend of the downtrodden." He had "a dream of a better America, but that dream would require unpopular changes." "He saw segregation, injustice and sickness and he tried to change it."

This all sounds good Mr. Woods, but aren't you slighting the memory of our late President Johnson. I thought he was the one who signed all the Bills that became known as the Civil Rights bill of 1964.

To illustrate JFK's role he said in 1960 that with the "stroke of a pen" he would remove discrimination in federal housing. For his whole first year, he did nothing. Black leaders began sending him pens saying, why don't you fulfill your promise.

The sad thing about Kennedy's ineffectiveness to get things done is the fact that he had a Democratic majority in both Houses of Congress. That's something Nixon hasn't had all of his five years as Presidentt.

You said Mr. Woods that brave men are heroes by "deed rather than words". This is true for all of the thousands of brave servicemen who gave up their life for their country, but in the case of JFK, he had few deeds and many words.

Finally Mr. Woods praises Kennedy "because he died for a cause." The only reason why JFK went to Dallas, Texas was for political reason, and he wasn't killed by an ultra-rightest, as many suspected and hoped, rather he was killed by a leftist Communist trained in Russia.

I realize that I am committing a grave sin (in the mind of Mr. Woods) by attacking the memory of John Kennedy. But, as he is a historical figure he must be judged accordingly.

Mr. Woods you are quick to condemn Kit Bond, and it was for that reason that I suggested that you apply your political theories to John Kennedy. Apparently your theories apply only to Republicans. That doesn't surprise me.

Sincerely,
Timothy P.O'Herin
New Madrid, Missouri

April 14, 1973

Editor,
Sikeston Standard,
Dear Mr. Editor,

I was in Sikeston recently and I was amazed or more exactly astonished, when I sought to license a car for my daughter there, for I have become accustomed to a sense of freedom here in Texas. Here we do not have (1) Personal Tax on any property by county city or state. Here we do not have (2) City Auto License, so I am wondering if the Citizens of the State of Missouri will ever throw off the yoke of tax slavery and demand a decent type of economic life that other people enjoy. We still have 23 cents and 25 cents per gallon gas here. While I was in Sikeston the price of gas rose 4cents per gallon over night. The public was certainly taken for a ride on that score. I propose national No Drive a Car Week, for the Oil Companies are surely taking the public just as much or more so than the meat industry. Lets demand some freedoms, Personal Taxes, OUT.

C.L. Crider
712 Teetshorn St.
Houston, Texas
77009

April 24, 1973

Mr. Charles Blanton, Jr.
Editor
THE SIKESTON STANDARD
205 South New Madrid
Sikeston, Missouri 63801

Dear Mr. Blanton:

I would like to comment on your editorial remark of April 23, that "No man who's old enough to grow whiskers looks good on a bicycle." While this may be true there is no doubt that a bicycle can make any man old enough to grow whiskers look good and feel better. More people ought to try it.

With best regards,
Very truly yours,
Jean-R. Dupont, M.D.

April 19, 1973

Editor
The Daily Standard
Sikeston, Missouri

Dear Sir:

The following is a poem I have written which I think is appropriate for the season.

If you have no editorial policy which would prevent it, I would like very much to share it with your readers:

THE COMING OF SPRING

Ah Spring, I thought you'd never come this year
And yet, and yet there is a sound I hear,
At first but faintly, then with mounting force
The might voice of Nature from whose source
All things we both anticipate and dread
Proceed. The Resurrection of the dead
And dreary landscape left by winter's tide
Of ruthless, savage strength will swiftly hide
The ugly scars with soft and healing leaves
And grass so green that one almost perceives
In rare elusive moments some pattern
Of the Infinite. Vain quest! Alas, turn
Quickly from such thoughts too deep for reason
And be joyful in this rarest season.

Mrs. Evelyn H. Forbes.

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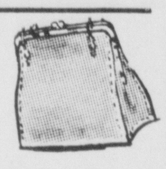
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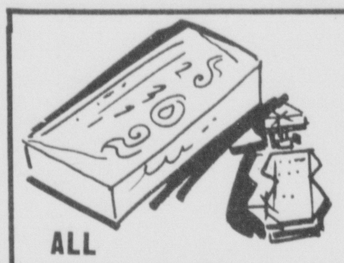
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Letters to the Editor

April 27, 1973

Mr. Charles Blanton, Jr.
Daily Sikeston Standard
205 South New Madrid Street
Sikeston, Missouri 63801

Dear Mr. Blanton:

Fire Chief Larry Linnemeyer, recently spoke to the Sikeston Jaycees about the poor conditions of the Sikeston Fire Department. He told us of the need for more paid manpower, and further training of the firemen. He also told us of the many changes he has made during his first few months as Fire Chief.

We appreciate having such a dedicated man as Chief Linnemeyer, trying to upgrade Sikeston's Fire Protection. We fully support Chief Linnemeyer, the Sikeston Fire Department, and all of the Volunteer Firemen of Sikeston.

Sincerely,
Phil Boyer,
Secretary,
Sikeston Jaycees

April 27, 1973

Sikeston Standard
205 S. New Madrid St.
Sikeston, Missouri

Good Morning, Gentlemen:

We, in New Madrid, are very thankful for the wonderful job done by the Sikeston and Portageville units of Company C, Missouri National Guard.

It is marvelous to have someone to answer a call for help in an emergency such as ours.

Sincerely,
Thelma King, PR
Bank of New Madrid

TO RUTH

Another day is done,
Gone dead with sunset; 'tis over.
Now night is begun ....
And I dream of you, sweet lover.

I'll dream of you as I always do —
In awe of your beauty 'til morning's light.
I'll dream of embracing the softness and warmth of you ...
Oh, Death! Do not try to take me tonight!!

But, then, death would hold no fear for me,
I would laugh in it's face—
And all my dreams of you would be
Enough of heaven to surely take it's place.

David Aldridge

Dear Mr. Blanton,

On behalf of the members of our club, I would like to thank you for the advertisement your newspaper gave our yearly Easter egg hunt held in Malone Park.

We are very appreciative, even though part of the hunt was rained out.

Cordially,
Beth Tidwell
(Corresponding Secretary)

THE STORY OF
THE IGA
By Linda Kay
Davidson

One night my husband was hungry
so he went to the IGA.
When he got there it was closed,
but he went in anyway.

Donald Williams went there with him,
they got some steak and hops.
They weren't home very ong
when in came the cops.

Now they're locked up in Charleston,
they've got their own little room.
Every morning just about six
they start with a mob and broom.

They go to court next Tuesday,
Judge Craig won't give them a break.
'Cause he don't approve of eating
stolen chops and pork steak.

Now that's the story of the IGA.
When they get out I'm hoping,
the next time they go to the store
they'll go when it is open.

MOTHER

There can never be a substitute!
No, there can never be another
For that pretty girl, so pure and good,
You always knew as Mother.

She made you what you are —
You owe her everything.
She made your childish heart
Turn from hurt and sing.

She dried your eyes with hands so soft
And kissed your cheek with care,
And prayed if you were hurt again,
That somehow she'd be there.

You meant the world to her!
She cried to envision your leaving.
And when you did go, she spent her days
Conniving reunions to end all her grieving.

She may not always be there,
Praying for your quick return,
So, go! Embrace that sweet lady, my friend!
For it's never too late to learn ....

That there can never be a substitute,
No! There can never be another
For that pretty girl, so pure and good,
You always knew as Mother.

David Aldridge
15 Feb. 73

MY MOTHER

The sweetest Mother in the whole world
With pretty blue eyes and black hair in curls
She is so kind and good in every way
Couldn't ask for a better Mother so bright and so gay.

She had ten girls and two little boys
And to her, they were a pride and her joy
She would work so hard to keep our clothes clean
Stood all day over an ole wringer washing machine

She loved my daddy so very much, you see
She done her job, working all day then let things be
Until the next day she had it to do over again
Washing and ironing, cleaning house, and clothes to mend.

She'd stand over an old hot stove half a day at a time
To fix a big meal so good and so fine
Kids hanging on her apron strings and crying a lot
For something we didn't need or Dad hadn't bought.

Mother sat home with a bunch of kids all time
While Dad got out to work to make a few dimes
For the groceries and rent and rest of the bills
He worked so hard working at an old mill.

Mother and Father were very happy together
For they knew someday things would get better
No one could ask for a better father and Mother
For someday they'll be gone and God knows we love 'em.

Written by
Janet Pfifer, Dixon

THERE STILL IS
JUST ONE WAY TO SAY
'HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY'

DEAR MOM:

You may think that pot is a vessel for cooking;
That grass is a green area just meant for looking;
That hash is a remake of last night's viands;
That a trip is a voyage to far-away lands;
You're convinced that dough is stuff made with flour;
That bread is to eat, not pay for work by the hour;
That fuzz is a substance you find on the rug;
That when you're called "straight" you are getting a plug;
Your bag, you believe, is for bringing home bacon;
In all these definitions you will find you're mistaken.
But there is one phrase that still means what it did:
"Happy Mother's Day and Love" from your with-it kid.

LOVE HER —
WHILE YOU CAN

She's so alive and full of zest!
She's giving you her very best!
She can be replaced by no other,
You know her; she's your MOTHER.

You try to do your best to please her,
But at times you have to tease her,
One day you'll waken all alone;
Wake up and find your MOTHER gone!

At first it seems she's on a trip,
To Boston, maybe Sunset Strip!
But finally you will learn,
She's on a trip of NO RETURN!

You'll feel alone and need some love,
You look up and pray to GOD above
You ask Him to take care of her till you arrive,
And to that ONE goal you will strive!

You see your Dad, a grown man, cry,
And feel as if you want to die!
So do as SHE says, and don't say no,
Because the day will come when you miss HER, I know!

You'll long for HER smile and HER loving touch!
And want HER back so very much!
But just remember this and by it stand;
LOVE her! LOVE her! while you can!!

Taffie Dickerson

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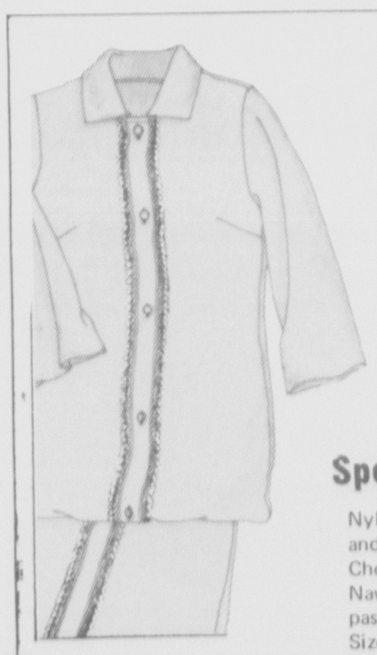

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House approves series of spending bills today

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — The Missouri House approved today a series of spending bills, including a $171.3 million appropriations bill to fund state higher education.

Also passed was a $4.5 million measure to pay for the expense of the legislature for the 1973-74 fiscal year.

The money for the legislature includes funds for increasing the staffs of the legislative research and fiscal affairs committees, which aid lawmakers in drawing up legislation.

The Daily Standard,
Sikeston, Mo.
Thursday,
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The House has to finish work on all the appropriations, totaling about $2 billion, for the next fiscal year. The higher education spending proposals now go to the Senate.

The House also approved a resolution to change the state Constitution to bring it in line with U. S. Supreme Court rulings allowing 18-year-olds to vote.

Besides allowing the 18-year-old vote, the resolution reduces the state residency requirement from one year to 60 days, and the county residency requirement from 60 to 30 days.

The appropriations bill authorizes $107,111,517 from general revenue (state tax money) for the four campuses of the University of Missouri.

Wednesday, the House gave preliminary approval to the Equal Rights Amendment to the U.. S. Constitution and the Senate gave first-round approval to a bill lowering the age of majority—including voting rights—from 21 to 18.

The 84-74 approval of the Equal Rights Amendment (ERA) came after a full day of debate centered mainly on amendments that some representatives said would render the measure invalid.

They require the ERA to be submitted to a public vote, and require that if no such election is held or if the courts declare such action illegal, the ratification will become void.

The 18-year-old majority age bill was approved 22-8 after it was amended to exclude the purchase of alcoholic beverages by those under 21.

The Senate also defeated a bill to limit liability damages against hospitals to $100,000. Some senators criticized the bill as being special interest legislation.

The House gave first round approval to a resolution to change the state Constitution to allow local communities to levy a sales tax on gasoline to be used to support public mass transit systems.

In other action, the Senate passed a bill to revise the state's anti-trust law to tighten controls over price fixing, monopolies and restraint of trade.

In floor debate last week it was weakened by eliminating civil penalties and restricting the powers of the attorney general. The criminal penalty includes a maximum fine of $50,000.

Also passed were bills to expand the public defender system to include juvenile and mental cases, although funding was not approved, to raise the pay of treasurers in second, third and fourth class counties, and to provide a new procedure for carrying out a will's requests or provisions to a trust or trustees.

Given tentative approval were bills to include magistrate court clerks in the state retirement systems and to reduce from nine to six months the amount of time in which a deceased person's real estate cannot be sold from his estate.

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Revenue Department dismisses seven

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — The Missouri Revenue Department has fired seven auditors and field representatives but the revenue director says the dismissals are not directly connected to a federal investigation of possible widespread sales tax evasion.

The personnel changes were made, Revenue Director James R. Spradling said Wednesday, to tighten sales tax collection and to hire more competent employes.

Those dismissed were in the Kansas City office. T e department's sales tax division had 24 auditors and field representatives.

More than 150 persons have been replaced, mostly in the Jefferson City headquarters and in fee offices, since Spradling took over as director in January. The department has about 1,600 employes.

Spradling has estimated the uncollected sales tax at between $45 million and $100 million a year.

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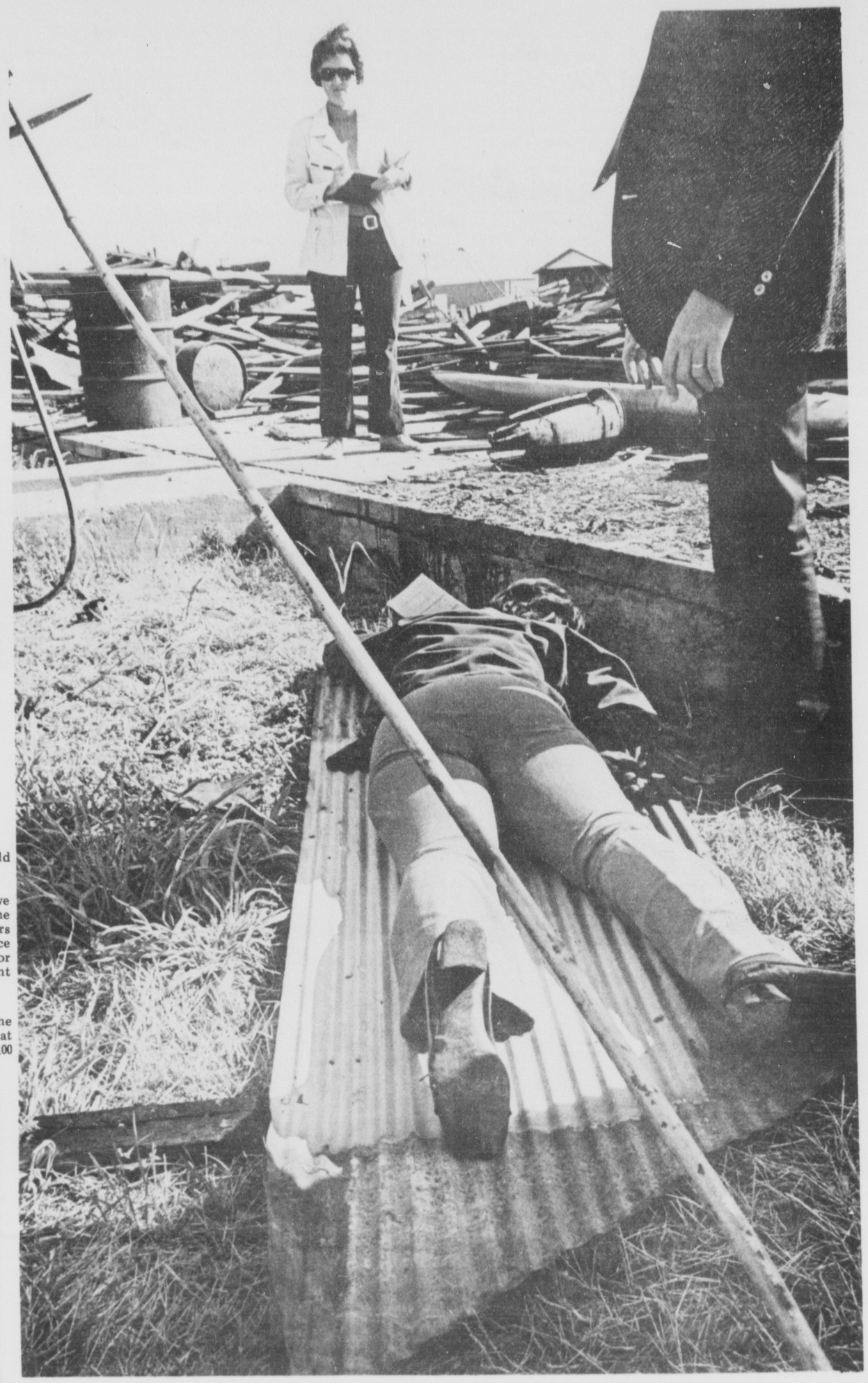
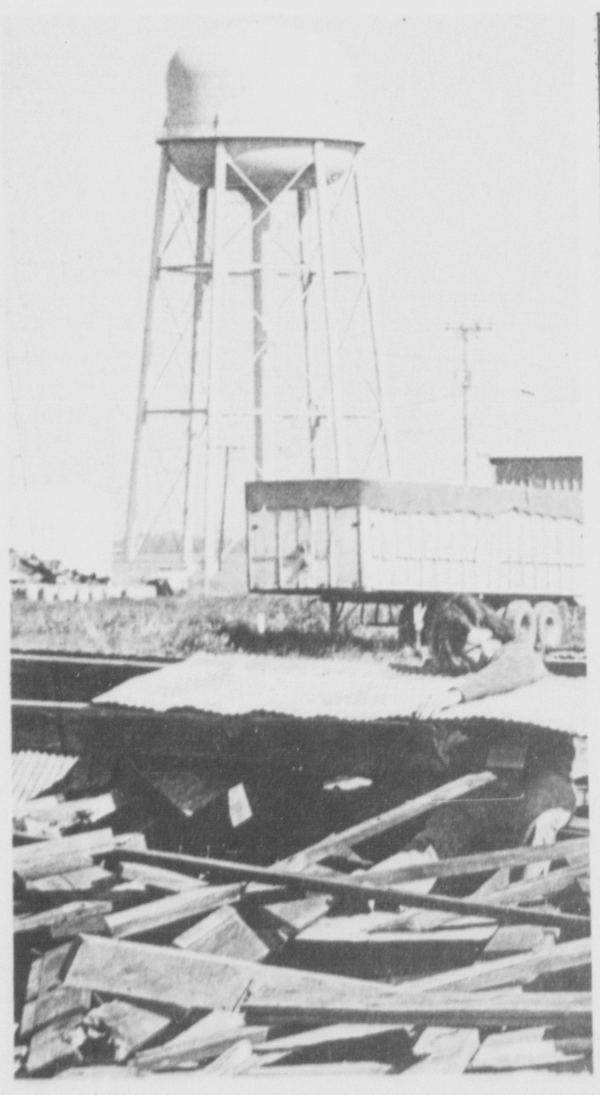


Fatal disaster victim

A mock disaster victim waits to be removed after receiving a fatal electrical shock at the Sikeston Cotton Gin. A disaster judge stands in the background rating the performance of rescue teams.
(Daily Standard photo by Tim Ludwig)



Victim awaits rescue

An unidentified disaster victim awaits rescue, trapped beneath rubble at the Sikeston Cotton Gin on North Street. She was one of 30 victims in the mock disaster today.
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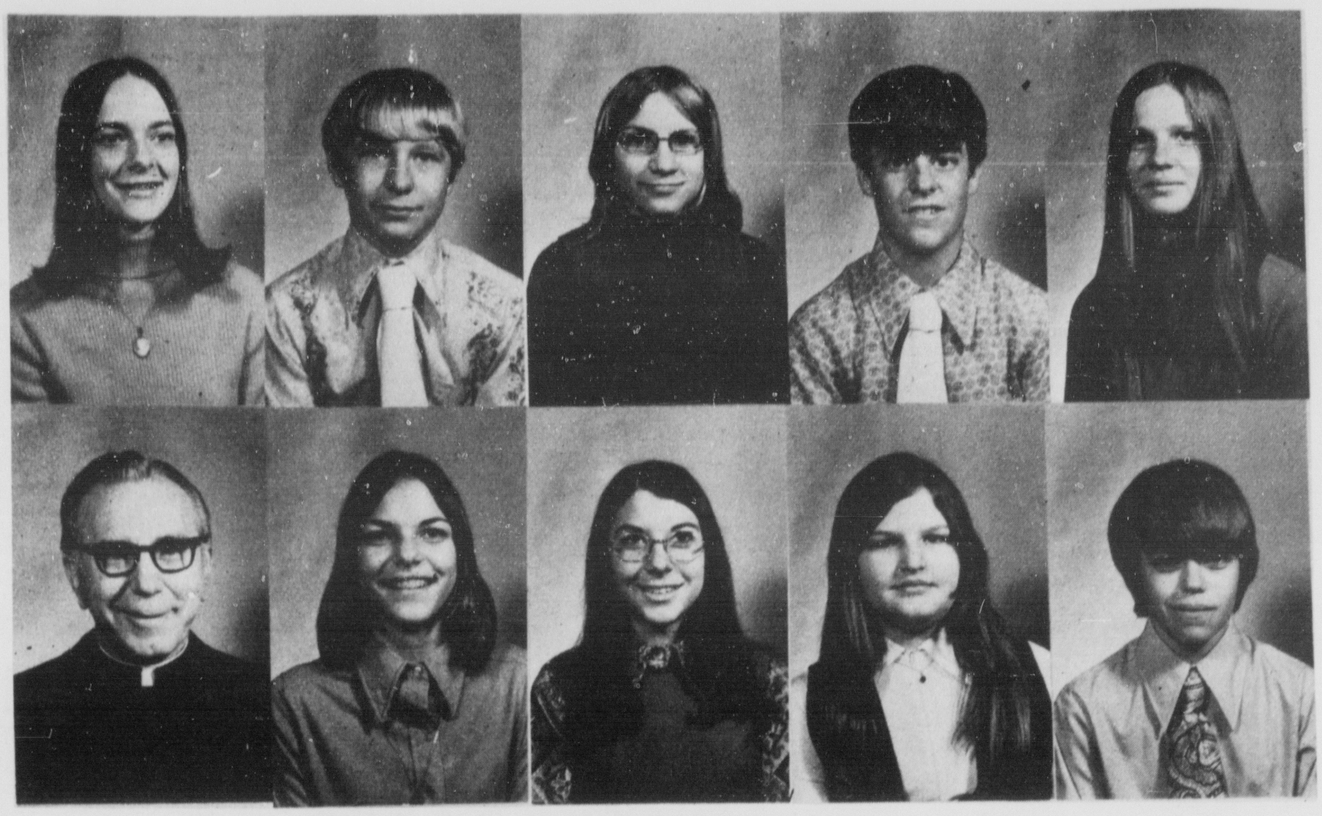

Immaculate Conception grade 8

1973 New Madrid Immaculate Conception School eighth grade graduates, top row, from left, are Nancy Lee Hatley, Richard Luke St. Mary, Paula Jean Hampton, Kevin Hayden Dawson and Lisa Jean Estes. Bottom row, the Rev. Sylvester Bauer, parish priest, Kim Estes, Mary Kay Perry, Cheryl Annette Higgerson and Edward John Porter.

FBI reveals extortion plot

ST. LOUIS (AP) — An elaborate extortion plot which forced a St. louis bank president to turn over $50,000 because the bank official's wife was bound and gagged was revealed by FBI agents here Wednesday, although the incident occurred two days earlier.

William C. Dowd, the 60-yearold president of the Missouri State Bank and Trust Co., complied with orders given him by a man during a telephone conversation after a briefcase was delivered to Dowd's office Monday morning. The briefcase contained photographs showing Dowd's wife bound and gagged, police said.

Mrs. Mae Dowd, 65, told police a man forced his way into her Kirkwood, Mo., home Monday morning and tied her to a bed.

The man, who was armed with a pistol, took several snapshots of her and then apparently left, police said.

A short time later, a man matching the description of Mrs. Dowd's assailant, left a briefcase at Dowd's downtown office and he told the bank president's secretary that Dowd should examine its contents.

Dowd returned to the office following a meeting and found several photographs of his wife in the briefcase along with two of her rings.

A few minutes later, police said, Dowd received a second call from a man identified as "Mike Gallis" who told him he would have to hand over $50,000 if he ever wanted "to see your wife alive again."

The caller ordered Dowd to put the money in small bills in the briefcase and take it to a hotel five blocks away. Dowd obeyed after notifying FBI agents.

While standing in the hotel lobby, Dowd was called to a house telephone and was told to leave the briefcase in the hotel basement and return home. He did as he was told and found his wife unharmed.

When FBI agents went to the hotel basement the briefcase and the money were gone.

An agent said later that authorities "were in the vicinity" of the hotel when the money was left there, but declined to answer questions about how the extortionist managed to collect the briefcase and escape.

"The safety of the victim is of prime importance in these cases," the agent said. "At that point, we still did not have any knowledge of the whereabouts of his wife," he said.

No arrests have been made and the investigation was continuing.

FREE-WHEELING—Neatest look going for spring and summer is this crewneck T-shirt in a glad plaid of orange and turquoise. In a predominantly cotton knit blend for tops in comfort, it's by Miss Ingenue.

Scott County Baccalaureate services have been announced

Baccalaureate services and commencement exercises have been announced by Scott County high schools.

The baccalaureate service for Sikeston High School is scheduled at 7 p.m. May 20 with the Rev. Wade Paris, pastor of Murray Lane Baptist Church, as speaker. The commencement program will be presented at 7 p.m. May 21 and the featured speakers will be members of the senior class. Weather permitting, both exercises will be conducted in the football stadium. If not, the programs will be moved into the fieldhouse.

The Rev. Richard Rolwing, pastor of Guardian Angel Catholic Church will be guest speaker at the Oran High School baccalaureate service at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium May 13. Class officers will speak at commencement exercises on May 17 at 8 p.m.

The baccalaureate sermon at Illmo- Scott City High School will be delivered by the Rev. Don Kuehle, pastor of the Illmo United Methodist Church, at 8 p.m. May 30 in the high school auditorium. The commencement speaker on May 31 at 8 p.m. will be Dr. Bill Stacy of Southeast Missouri State University in Cape Girardeau.

Guest speaker at the Scott County Central High School baccalaureate service on May 20 in the high school auditorium will be the Rev. Gary Williams, pastor of the Morley Church of God. Commencement exercises are scheduled May 21 with students from the senior class as the featured speakers.

The Rev. Kelly Brigman, pastor of First Christian Church in Chaffee, will be the speaker at the baccalaureate service for Chaffee High School at 8 p.m. May 23. The commencement speaker will be Dr. Fred Thornton of Sikeston at 8 p.m. May 25.

Commencement exercises for Kelly High school will be presented at 8 p.m. May 24. Students from the senior class will be the featured speakers. Baccalaureate services will not be held.

Wobbly Earth

As it rotates, Earth wobbles on its axis. This deviation, known as Chandler's Wobble, reaches its peak every seventh year, and some scientists believe earthquakes are more numerous in those years. The next peak year will be in 1978.

MHS spring band concert tonight

MALDEN — The annual Malden High School spring band concert and junior and senior art exhibit has been rescheduled for today. The events were postponed from last week due to rain.

The concert will be staged at 6:45 p.m. at City Park, weather permitting. Otherwise, the concert will be held at the high school auditorium at 6:45.

The junior and senior art exhibit will be displayed in the school auditorium, and will be open for viewing immediately after school.

The Band Booster Club will open a stand at 5:45 p.m. to sell hotdogs and sodas to those who wish to eat before the concert. The stand will operate in the park, if the concert is held there. Otherwise, the stand will operate at the gym.

There will be no admission charged for either the concert or the art exhibit.

House gives tentative approval to ERA

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — "We're going to mess around and wind up looking like idiots," said one representative during the debate on the Equal Rights Amendment to the U.S. Constitution in the Missouri House.

The House gave tentative approval Wednesday to the resolution to adopt the ERA, 84-74. The measure faces one more vote in the House and then goes to the Senate.

The Senate version was voted down 7-3 by their Judiciary Committee in February.

Rep. Winnie Weber, D-House Springs, who made the "idiots" reference objected to amendments to the resolution which some members said rendered the measure unconstitutional.

Several other members echoed her sentiments calling the amendments "camoflage for the opposition," and saying they were "fogging up" and "clouding" the issue.

The House spent nearly a full day debating the ERA, with debate centering on an amendment by Rep. Gladys Merriott, D-Kansas City, to submit the ERA to a public referendum and another addition, sponsored by Rep. Leo Schrader, D-Joplin, stating that if no election is held or if the courts rule any section of the Missouri version is illegal, ratification by the legislature will be voided.

Both amendments were adopted.

Debate on the proposal began with its sponsor, Rep. Sue Shear, D-Clayton, saying the ERA was "probably the most controversial measure this House has taken up in years."

"We are making history," another lawmaker noted. "The eyes of the nation are on us."

Opponents argued the ERA would damage the family as a social unit, create chaos in the legal system, result in the drafting of women and bring integrated restrooms.

Proponents countered that it meant only equal rights for women and the right for a woman to pursue a career without discrimination.

The amendment says: "Equality of rights under the law shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any state on account of sex."

After hours of debate the nain issue became whether the additions to the resolution would render it illegal.

Majority Floor Leader Kenneth Rothman, D-Clayton, said decisions by both the Missouri and Ohio Supreme Courts had declared that amendments to the U.S. Constitution could not be submitted to a popular vote, since the Constitution allows only approval by three-fourths of the legislatures or state conventions for ratifications.

Malden Baccalaureate services Sunday May 6

MALDEN — A baccalaureate service for the 1973 graduating class of Malden High School will be held at 5 p.m. Sunday in the high school auditorium.

The Rev. Tom K. Prentice, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon. The Rev. Bill Phipps, pastor of Sunnyvale General Baptist Church, will offer the invocation, and the benediction will be given by Chuck Huber, minister of the Church of Christ.

The service will include selections by the mixed choir.

Commencement exercises will be held at 8 p.m May 10 in the high school auditorium.

Supt. Tom Park Jr. will present the class for graduation, and diplomas will be awarded by David Watson, president of the board of education. Awards and scholarships will be presented by Carl Townsend, high school principal.

Miss Debra Smithson, valedictorian, and Miss Sue Marshall, salutatorian, will be introduced by Supt. Park and both will give an address.

The Rev. Donald Cochran, pastor of First Southern Baptist Church, will give the invocation and the benediction will be offered by the Rev. Dale Hill, pastor of First Pentecostal Church.

The program will include selections by the girls choir and the mixed choir.

Application for Doniphan FM station

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Communications Commission Wednesday announced receipt of an application for a construction permit for a new FM station at Doniphan, Mo., from Jack G. Hunt.

The FCC also announced the following action:

Kennet, Mo.—KBXM, Hazel V. Miller, guardian for Larry Don Miller, Bootheel Broadcasting Co., granted assignment of license to Hazel V. Miller and Larry Don Miller, doing business as Bootheel Broadcasting Co.

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G78-14	8.25-14	2 for $62.50	$2.67
H78-14	8.55-14	2 for $68.50	$2.94
F78-15	7.75-15	2 for $61.60	$2.54
G78-15	8.25-15	2 for $64.10	$2.73
H78-15	8.55-15	2 for $68.90	$2.96
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E60-14	$47.10	$37.53	$2.52
F60-14	$49.15	$39.27	$2.76
G60-14	$51.20	$40.02	$2.90
L60-14	$60.60	$48.01	$3.49
F60-15	$50.15	$40.12	$2.89
G60-15	$52.25	$40.91	$2.96
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Deaths

OSBORN GRAYAM

CHAFFEE — Osborn Grayam, 81, died early Wednesday morning in Chaffee General Hospital.

He was born Dec. 8, 1891 in Kentucky. On Dec. 12, 1936, he married Mrs. Allie E. Dale of Chaffee. She preceded him in death on Dec. 7, 1962. He later married Mrs. Corleda Howard, who survives.

Other survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Bertha Sitz of Bloomfield and Mrs. Florence Walker of Flint, Mich.

The body is at Amick-Burnett Funeral Chapel where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday with the Rev. Ernest Lee of Chaffee officiating.

Burial will be in Union Park Cemetery.

THEON W. SCHEETER

CHAFFEE— Funeral mass for Theon W. Scheeter, 70, who died of drowning about 11:30 p.m. Tuesday is scheduled at 10 a.m. Friday at St. Amborse Catholic Church. The Rev. James J. Holmes, pastor, will officiate.

Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Recitation of the rosary is scheduled at 7 p.m. today in the Amick- Burnett Funeral Chapel.

He was born Sept. 19, 1902 at New Hamburg. On Nov. 20, 1944, he married Mary Margaret Schmitt of Chaffee, who survives. He served in the Army in World War II and was a member of St. Ambrose Catholic Church and Aubuchon- Alsobrook American Legion Post. No. 389 of Chaffee. He had worked most of his life as a construction worker.

Other survivors include one brother, J.J. Scheeter of Memphis, Tenn., and one sister, Mrs. Bertha Pratt of Hayti

OTTO C. SCHEETER

NEW HAMBURG — Otto Charles Scheeter, 81, a retired farmer and carpenter, died at 11:15 a.m. Wednesday in Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau where he had been a patient since Tuesday morning.

He was born March 17, 1892 at New Hamburg. On Aug. 8, 1916, he married the Mamie Katie Westrich, who preceded him in death on March 2, 1968. He was a member of St. Lawrence Catholic Church and St. Joseph's Sodality.

He is survived by six sons, Ervin and Hubert Scheeter of New Hamburg, Eddie Scheeter of Chaffee, Herbert Scheeter of Cape Girardeau, Alvin Scheeter of St. Louis and Kenneth Scheeter of Sikeston; six daughters, Mrs. Arabella Stike of Jennings, Mrs. Adella Scheeter, Mrs. Lois Eastwood and Mrs. Orilla Pobst of Chaffee, Mrs. Loretta Hamilton of Belleville, Ill., and Mrs. Ada Lee Hasenkamp of Benton; two brothers, Leo Scheeter of Chaffee and Manuel Scheeter of Scott City; one sister, Mrs. Rosalee Wiedefeld of New Hamburg; and 29 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

The body is at Amick-Burnett Funeral Chapel in Chaffee where prayer services will be conducted by St. Joseph's Sodality at 7:30 p.m. Friday, followed at 8 p.m. by a Knights of Columbus prayer service by St. Vincent Council No. 11 of Cape Girardeau.

Funeral mass is scheduled at 10 a.m. Saturday at St. Lawrence Catholic Church at New Hamburg with the Rev. Francis Donivan officiating.

Burial will be in the church cemetery.

FLORENCE A. MASTERS

CANALOU— Mrs. Florence Agnes Masters, 84, died at 2:20 p.m. Wednesday at Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston following an extended illness.

She was born Sept. 10, 1888 in Zalma to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lackey. She had lived in Canalou since 1950 and was a member of the Church of Christ. In 1903 she married William L. Masters, who died Aug. 28, 1964.

Surviving are two sons, Wesley Masters of Canalou and Elma Masters of Belleville, Ill.; two daughters, Mrs. William Hastings and Miss Freddie Masters of Canalou; one sister, Mrs. Marguerite Ledford of Zellwood, Fla., and five grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren and six great great grandchildren.

The body is at McMikle Funeral Home where friends may call after 6 p.m. today.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday with Grady Reeves, minister of the East Prairie Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial will be in Matthews Cemetery.

ROSIE RUNNELS

Rosie Runnels, 87, of 410 Jackson St. died at 9 p.m. Tuesday of an apparent heart attack while en route to Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

She was born June 5, 1885 in Millersville. On Nov. 19, 1905, she married Fred Runnels, who preceded her in death. She had lived in Willard and Cape Girardeau counties most of her life.

Surviving are two daughters, Prudence Ross of Cape Girardeau and Marie Proffer of Cape Girardeau; three sons, Nafis Runnels of Sikeston, Frederick Runnels of Jackson and Loran Runnels of St. Charles; one sister, Mrs. Ida Armstrong of Cape Girardeau; two brothers, James Monroe Ates of St. Louis and Jeff Ates of Oran; and 16 grandchildren and 15 great- grandchildren.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday at McCombs Funeral Home in Jackson.

Burial will be in Jackson Cemetery.

SCOTT J. BENNETT

EAST PARIRIE — Scott Joseph Bennett, one- day - old son of Barry David and Jane Ann Sides Bennett of East Prairie, died at 12:15 p.m. Wednesday. He was born at 2:34 p.m. Tuesday at Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston.

Surviving, in addition to his parents, are one brother, Brian David Bennett; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Bennett of East Prairie; and maternal grandmother, Mrs. Raymond Sides of New Madrid.

Graveside rites were conducted at 10 a.m. today at Dogwood Cemetery with the Rev. Sylvester Bauer, pastor of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church of New Madrid, officiating.

THOMAS H. CARTHELL

CHARLESTON — Thomas Henry Carthell, 38, died at 7:35 p.m. Wednesday in Chaffee General Hospital following an extended illness.

He was born Feb. 29, 1935 at Trenton, Tenn. He had lived in Charleston since childhood.

Surviving are his stepmother, Mrs. Nellie Carthell of Charleston; three sons, Larry, Thomas and Frederick Carthell of rural Charleston; four daughters, Anna, Gloria, Glenda and Evelyn Carthell of rural Charleston; four brothers, James Carthell of Muncie, Ind., Mose and Willie Carthell of Jackson, Tenn., and Charles Frank Carthell of Charleston; and two sisters, Mrs. Rosie Couch of Howardville and Glendora Carthell of Muncie.

The body is at Sparks Funeral Home where friends may call Friday night.

Funeral services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Saturday in Mercy Seat Baptist Church with the Rev. L. B. Bostic officiating.

Burial will be in Oak Grove Cemetery.

CORA WILLIAMS

CHARLESTON — Mrs. Cora Williams, 66, died at 4:30 p.m. Monday at her home following an illness of more than one year.

She was born Sept. 26, 1906 in Belzoni, Miss., and had lived in Missouri since 1922. She had lived in Charleston for 25 years. She was a member of Mercy Seat Baptist Church.

She is survived by four brothers, McKinley and Freddie Starks of Buffalo N. Y., Joe Starks of St. Louis and Ed Starks of Charleston; and two sisters, Mrs. Leola Biles and Mrs. Arlene Hall of Charleston.

Friends may call at Sparks Funeral Home Saturday afternoon and night.

Services are scheduled at 1:30 p.m. Sunday in Mercy Seat Baptist Church with the Rev. R. H. Hunt officiating.

Burial will be in Oak Grove Cemetery.

CARL HOLT

BLOOMFIELD— Carl Holt, 61, of Route Three died at 3 a.m. today in Dexter Memorial Hospital of an apparent heart attack.

He was born Jan. 2, 1912 near Bell City to Claude Holt and Izzi Cattner Holt. He married Ethel Hoosier, who died Sept. 19, 1956.

Surviving are three brothers, Chester Holt of Benton Route One, Fred Holt of Orlando, Fla., and Claude Holt of St. Louis; and two sisters, Mrs. Gladys Green of Barnhart and Mrs. Irene Wright of St. Louis.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Saturday in Chiles—Cooper Funeral Home in Bloomfield with the Rev. Charles Hanna, pastor of the Missionary Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial will be in Morgan Memorial Park Cemetery in Advance.

Local Stocks

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Anheuser Busch	47½	48
Frontier Tower	1½	2
Olson Bros	2¾	3¼
Martha Manning	2	2½
ICH Corp	8	8½
Pabst Brewing	69¾	70½
Downtowner	2½	3
Wetterau	20½	21
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		24½
American Tel & Tel		52¾
American Motors		8½
Calvert Exp		3½
Chrysler		32¾
Columbia Gas		30¾
Eaton Mfg		34¼
Ford Motors		62
General Motors		72½
Interstate Brands		8½
Malone & Hude		27¼
Mid South Util		22¼
New England Elect		24¼
lJ. C. Penney Co.		82
WalMart Stores		22¼

EDITORS NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate if one were a buyer. These are listings at the close of the previous market.

Five Most Active

Dow Jones Industrial Averages at noon were down 4.52 on a volume of 6.75 million shares.

NYSE MOST ACTIVE:

ITT	34 3/8	-1/2
Texaco	38	-1/2
Santa Fe Ind.	25 5/8	-1/4
G.E.	58 7/8	-7/8
Ford	61 1/4	-5/8
East. Airl.	12	-1/2
LISTED STOCKS		
Amer. Tele	52 7/8	
Anheuser Busch	48	
Butler Natl	2 7/8	
Champ Home Bldrs	6 3/8	
Connrex	9 1/2	
Cooper Tire	16 7/8	
Evans Prod.	16	
Feld Leasing	11 3/8	
Ford	62	
GAF Corp.	13 3/8	
Manchester Life	7	
Gen. Mtrs.	72 3/8	
Interco	43	
Durotest	10 1/4	
Keystond Indus.	6 3/8	
Malone & Hyde	27	
Mid Amer. Gr. Plains	1/2	
Noranda Mines	50	
Texaco	38 1/2	
Transamerica	12 7/8	
Volume Shoe	13 3/4	
Wetterau Foods	20 3/8	

These quotations were provided at 11 a.m. today by Don Sarno, Account Executive, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, INc., 220 North Fourth Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63102. Call TOLL-FREE 1-800 392-3430.

House approves conscience bill

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — A so-called "conscience bill" allowing doctors, nurses and hospitals to refuse to participate in abortions if it is against their moral or religious principles was approved today by the Missouri House.

The bill now goes to the Senate. A similar measure has been approved by Congresss.

Two bills to regulate abortions in Missouri are still alive on an informal calendar, but floor substitutes for them were defeated last week. One would allow abortions during the first three months of pregnancy.

Under another bill passed and sent to the Senate today, Missouri businesses would get a preference in bidding for state contracts for goods and services. It says state agencies must take into consideration maintenance after the contract is granted.

The bill also allows Missouri businesses to deduct the amount of taxes they would pay to the state from their bidding price, although the contract price would remain the same.

An overseas trade office for the promotion and export of Missouri products would be set up under another bill approved. Lt. Gov. William C. Phelps has recommended the office be in Brussels.

Other bills approved by the House would:

—Permit the state to accept the Bothwell Lodge near Sedalia as state property to be used for educational or charitable purposes.

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and of Secondary School Principals.

Missouri Association for Social Welfare; Missouri Catholic Conference; Missouri Congress of Parents and Teachers; Missouri Council of Churches; Missouri Municipal League; National Association of Social Workers, Missouri Council of Chapters; State Department of Education; and the Woman's Auxiliary to the Missouri State Medical Association.

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morning's disaster as the dead and injured were brought in and emergency procedures were activated.

Harold Jones, hospital administrator, said the drill was "very fine," He added that some of the problems which had occurred last year were not experienced this year.

The first thing that was done was to secretly change the time from 9:30 to 9 a.m. to test the reaction to something that came a little prematurely, Jones said. The first call announding that a disaster had occurred came at 9:02 to the hospital.

The situation was announced over the speaker system of the hospital and the number of beds available was made known. The hospital then activated the area of the hospital that is currently closed and had personnel standing by ready to staff the area, if needed.

The physical therapy department was alerted to clear all their carts and tables to receive patients, if necessary.

Patients started being received about 10 minutes after the alert, and the medical staff responded. Dr. Thornton "called the shots for the medical staff," Jones said.

The patients were received at the emergency door and dispersed throughout the hospital. Treatment was instituted when the patients were received, Jones said.

The operating room schedule filled quickly and a two hour waiting period became necessary for operations. Some patients arrived at the hospital dead.

Jones said that the communication problem experienced last year did not occur this year. The hospital was in contact with police and other departments at all times with no interruptions. The Civil Air Patrol also established radio contact with the hospital to help. Deputy Sheriff Gerald Inman was in charge of the communications.

"We did not experience the terrific traffic jam with ambulances this year because of the guidance of police and the traffic committee," Jones said.

"We did realize, however, that things had been forgotten," he added. "The Ministerial Alliance was not involved. If it had been a true disaster, their help would have been needed," Jones said. The ministers would comfort the families and keep them informed. "This is a vital thing, which we would not want to overlook in a real disaster," Jones said.

"All in all, the drill was very fine," Jones said. "I feel the city of Sikeston is in a much better position today to cope with a real disaster than we were yesterday."

Jones extended his appreciation to everyone who participated in the drill... the ambulance services, city departments and others. He said that the citizens of Sikeston should be proud that the city will participate in a drill such as this.

To people viewing the disaster, it may have seemed funny, but if it had been real, it would not have been. With disaster drills like this, the city will be ready to handle a real disaster if it should occur and will have an idea of how fast it can be handled.

River Stages

MISSISSIPPI RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	41.3	Sta
Cape Girardeau	32	45.0	-.5
New Madrid	34	42.0	+.3
Caruthersville	32	41.1	+.3

FORECAST

At Chester the river will fall 1.1 Friday; fall .8 Saturday; and fall .9 Sunday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall .9 Friday; fall .9 Saturday; and fall .6 Sunday.

At New Madrid the river will rise .1 Friday and crest at 42.1; fall .2 Saturday; and fall .1 Sunday.

At Caruthersville the river will rise .4 Friday; rise .3 Saturday; and rise .5 Sunday and crest at 42.3.

OHIO RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	40.8	+1.0
Paducah	39	42.9	+.7
Grand Chain	42	53.5	+.4
Cairo	40	54.6	+.4

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will rise .8 Friday; rise .6 Saturday; and rise .3 Sunday. The river will crest at 42.5 Monday.

At Paducah the river will rise .4 Friday; rise .4 Saturday; and rise .3 Sunday and crest at 44.0.

At Grand Chain no forecast was available.

At Cairo the river in in crest now and will fall .1 Friday; fall .2 Saturday; and fall .2 Sunday.

Livestock Market

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Estimated receipts for Friday: 4,000 hogs, 100 cattle and 25 sheep.

Hog receipts: 6,500. Barrows and gilts 25-50 lower, U. S. 1-2 200-250 lb. 35.75 - U. S. 1-3 200-230 lb. 35.00-35.50, U. S. 1-3 230-260 lb. 34.50-35.00. Sows steady to 25 lower, U. S. 1-3 300-400 lb. 31.50- 32.25, U. S. 1-3 400-600 lb. 31.25- 31.75. Boars 31.75- 32.00, weights under 350 lb. 30.50 - 31.50.

Cattle receipts: 1,200. Not enough slaughter steers or heifers for test. Cows weak to 50 lower, bulls steady. Supply included 1,000 for regular Thursday auction. Utility and commercial cows 32.00-34.50, cutter 30.00-32.00, canner 26.00-30.50, shelly canner 20.00-25.00. Utility, commercial and good bulls 38-00.41.00. Vealers, choice 55.00-60.00, good 51.00-55.00.

Sheep receipts: 25 head. Slaughter, package choice, shorn old crop, 118 lb. No. 1 pelt 31.00.

Grain Market

CHICAGO (AP) — Soybean and grain futures prices were irregular to weak in early dealings on the Chicago Board of Trade today.

On the opening, soybeans were 3 cents a bushel lower to 1 higher, May 7.65; wheat was ⅞ lower to 1 higher, May 2.35½; corn was ¾ to 1½ lower, May 1.70 and oats were ½ to 1 lower, July new 93½ cents.

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Gibson wins first

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

It all started on Aug. 31, 1965, for Bob Gibson but Tom Seaver would like to know when it will all end.

Gibson tied a major league pitching record by making his 241st consecutive start and posted his first 1973 triumph as the St. Louis Cardinals edged the San Diego Padres 5-4 Wednesday night.

Meanwhile, the New York Mets got hard-luck Seaver his designated run but Cincinnati's Johnny Bench and Pete Rose unloaded on the suddenly homer-prone hurler and powered the Reds to a 6-1 victory over the New York Mets.

Elsewhere in the National League, Pittsburgh nipped San Francisco 2-1, Los Angeles downed the Chicago Cubs 4-1, Houston trimmed Philadelphia 9-4 and Montreal shaded Atlanta 3-2.

American League scores: Chicago 4, Baltimore 0; Oakland 7, Milwaukee 3 in 10 innings; Kansas City 4, New York 3; California 5, Detroit 3 in 12 innings; Boston 6, Texas 2; Cleveland 8, Minnesota 4 in 10 innings.

The story of Seaver's season thus far as been home run, no run and one run. The opposition usually gets a home run or two while the punchless Mets settle for nothing at all or perhaps a token run. Wednesday night's run was only their second in Seaver's last four starts and they wasted a 13-strikeout performance by the hard-throwing right-hander, who fanned the side in the fourth, fifth and sixth innings. "He got 13 strikeouts, but he also got a big L in the loss column," gloated Cincinnati's Joe Morgan.

Amidst the strikeouts, the Reds scored in the fourth on a walk and Dave Concepcion's double and then Bench snapped a 1-1 tie in the sixth with his fourth homer of the season on a 3-0 pitch.

Cardinal box scores

NATIONAL AT SAN DIEGO

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	BI
Brock lf	5	1	2	2
Melendez rf	5	0	0	0
Torre 3b	4	1	2	0
Simmons 1b	3	1	1	0
Segui p	3	1	1	0
McCarver c	4	0	0	0
JCruz cf	3	1	1	3
Tyson 2b	3	0	2	0
Kelleher ss	4	0	1	0
Gibson p	3	1	2	0
Reitz 3b	1	0	0	0
Total	35	5	11	5
SAN DIEGO	AB	R	H	BI
DThomas ss	5	1	1	0
Grubb cf	4	2	4	1
Lee lf	5	0	3	2
Colbert 1b	4	0	2	1
Gaston rf	5	0	0	0
Kendall c	5	0	1	0
Campbell 2b	4	0	2	0
Hilton 3b	2	0	0	0
Kirby p	1	0	0	0
Caldwell p	0	0	0	0
Murrell ph	1	1	0	0
Ross p	0	0	0	0
Marshall ph	1	0	0	0
Troedson p	0	0	0	0
Morales ph	1	0	0	0
BMiller p	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	4	13	4

St. Louis 005 000 000—5
San Diego 100 020 100—4

E—Torre. DP—St. Louis 1, San Diego 2. LOB—St. Louis 6, San Dieg 11. 2B—Kelleher, Grubb, Lee. 3B—D.Thomas, Grubb. HR—Brock (1), J.Cruz (3). SB—Hilton. S—Hilton.

	IP	H	R	ER
Gibson	6	10	3	2
Segui	3	3	1	1
Kirby	2 2-3	8	5	5
Caldwell	2 1-3	2	0	0
Ross	1	1	0	0
Troedson	2	0	0	0
B.Miller	1	0	0	0

Save—Segui (1). W—Gibson (1-3). L—Kirby (1-5. T—2:38. A—5,690.

A five-run third inning and some clutch relief pitching by Diego Segui enabled Gibson to post his initial 1973 triumph after three setbacks. However, the veteran hurler left after six innings when he strained a muscle in his lower back.

He turned a 5-3 lead over to Segui thanks to Lou Brock's two-run homer and a three-run shot by Jose Cruz, both off Clay Kirby. Segui yielded u San Diego run in the seventh but retired Nate Colbert, Clarence Gaston and Fred Kendall after the first two Padres reached safely in the ninth, notching the final two outs with runners at first and third.

Al Oliver's third-inning sacrifice fly and strong relief pitching by Jim Rooker and Dave Giusti enabled Pittsburgh to beat San Francisco and stop a six-game slide.

Willie Davis slugged two home runs, a double and a single and Don Sutton hurled a six-hitter as Los Angeles halted the Cubs. The Chicago run was unearned and Sutton has yielded only one earned run in his last 40 2-3 innings, lowering his earned run average to 1.59.

Bob Watson collected a home run and a single and drove in three runs as the red-hotsHouston Astros ran their winning streak to five games and made it 10 wins in their last 12. Watson's solo homer in the sixth inning snapped a tie and started loser Jim Lonborg, 1-4, on his way to the bullpen.

Montreal's Mike Jorgensen rapped a pair of run-scoring singles off Atlanta's Pat Dobson, including the game-winning hit in the fifth inning. Ernie McAnally went the route for the Expos, allowing nine hits.

Standings

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

American League

East

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Milwaukee	10	10	.500	—
Baltimore	10	11	.476	1/2
New York	10	11	.476	1/2
Cleveland	10	12	.455	1
Detroit	10	12	.455	1
Boston	8	11	.421	1 1/2
West				
Chicago	12	5	.706	—
Kansas City	14	9	.609	1
California	11	8	.579	2
Minnesota	9	9	.500	3 1/2
Oakland	10	12	.455	4 1/2
Texas	7	11	.389	5 1/2

Wednesday's Games

Kansas City 4, New York 3
Boston 6, Texas 2
California 5, Detroit 3, 12 innings
Oakland 7, Milwaukee 3, 10 innings
Cleveland 8, Minnesota 4, 10 innings
Chicago 4, Baltimore 0

Thursday's Games

No games scheduled

Friday's Games

California at Baltimore, N
Oakland at Cleveland, N
Kansas City at Milwaukee, N
Boston at Minnesota, N
New York at Chicago, N
Texas at Detroit, N

National League

East

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Chicago	12	9	.571	—
New York	12	9	.571	—
Pittsburgh	9	7	.563	1/2
Montreal	9	11	.450	2 1/2
Philadelphia	9	11	.450	2 1/2
St. Louis	4	16	.200	7 1/2
West				
San Francisco	19	7	.731	—
Cincinnati	14	8	.636	3
Houston	16	10	.615	3
Los Angeles	12	12	.500	6
San Diego	8	16	.333	10
Atlanta	7	15	.318	10

Wednesday's Games

Pittsburgh 2, San Francisco 1
Houston 9, Philadelphia 4
Cincinnati 6, New York 1
Montreal 3, Atlanta 2
St. Louis 5, San Diego 4
Los Angeles 4, Chicago 1

Thursday's Games

Cincinnati (McGlothlin 1-0) at New York (Matlack 2-3), N
Chicago (Reuschel 2-1) at Los Angeles (Messersmith 1-2), N
St. Louis (Cleveland 0-3) at San Diego (Greif 1-1), N
Pittsburgh (Briles 0-2) at San Francisco (Willoughby 2-1), N

Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

Atlanta at Philadelphia, N
St. Louis at Los Angeles, N
Houston at New York, N
Cincinnati at Montreal, N
Pittsburgh at San Diego, N
Chicago at San Francisco, N

Leaders

By The Associated PRESS

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING 35 at bats— P. Kelly, Chi, .487; Valentine, Cal, .397.

RUNS— Patek, KC, 20; Mayberry, KC, 18; Otis, KC, 18.

RUNS BATTED IN— Mayberry, KC, 20; Cepeda, Bsn, 17.

HITS— Valentine, Cal, 31; Munson, NY, 29; Rojas, KC, 29.

DOUBLES— Rojas, KC, 8; Kirkpatrick, KC, 7.

TRIPLES— E. Brinkman, Det, 3; Hisle, Min, 3.

HOME RUNS— Tenace, Oak, 7; Fisk, Bsn, 6; Cepeda, Bsn, 6; Spikes, Cle, 6; Melton, Chi, 6.

STOLEN BASES— North, Oak, 8; Alomar, Cal, 6; Valentine, Cal, 6; Patek, KC, 6.

PITCHING— 3 Decisions— Paul, Tex, 3- 0, 1.000, 3.04; Coleman, Det, 5- 1, .833, 2.08.

STRIKEOUTS— N. Ryan, Cal, 61; G. Perry, Cle, 38; Singer, Cal, 38.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

BATTING 35 at bats- Maddox, SF, .392; Stargell, Pgh, .382.

RUNS— Wynn, Htn, 22; Bonds, SF, 21.

RUNS BATTED IN— Watson, Htn, 19; Stargell, Pgh, 18; Concepcion, Cin, 18.

HITS— Fuentes, SF, 34; Bonds, SF, 34.

DOUBLES— Cedeno, Htn, 11; Bonds, SF, 10.

TRIPLES— Maddox, SF, 3.

HOME RUNS— Wynn, Htn, 8; Stargell, Pgh, 7; H. Aaron, Atl, 7.

STOLEN BASES— Morgan, Cin, 11; Cedeno, Htn, 9.

PITCHING 3 Decisions— Koosman, NY, 4- 0, 1.000, 1.06; Billingham, Cin, 4- 0, 1.000, 2.78.

STRIKEOUTS— Carlton, Phi, 46; Sutton, LA, 45.

Pro basketball

By the Associated Press

NBA

Best- of- 7 series

All Times EDT

Championship Finals

Wednesday's Games

No games scheduled

Thursday's Games

New York at Los Angeles, 10:30 p.m., national TV, Los Angeles leads 1- 0

Friday's Games

No games scheduled

ABA

Best- of- 7 series

All Times EDT

Championship Finals

Wednesday's Games

No games scheduled

Thursday's Games

Kentucky at Indiana, 9:10 p.m., series tied 1- 1

Friday's Games

No games scheduled

Cepeda hits 6th HR

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Anywhere Orlando Cepeda hangs his bat is home.

Long a muscleman in the National League, the "Baby Bull" has found a home—and a new life—in the American League as a designated hitter with the Boston Red Sox.

Cepeda continued to flourish in his new surroundings with his sixth home run of the year, a grand slam job, that helped the Red Sox whip the Texas Rangers 6-2 Wednesday night.

"Every homer feels good," said Cepeda about his dramatic shot that capped a five-run third inning. "But home runs don't mean anything unless you win.

In the other American League games, the Kansas City Royals trimmed the New York Yankees 4-3; the Californiu Angels defeated the Detroit Tigers 5-3; the Oakland A's bested the Milwaukee Brewers 7-3 in 10 innings; the Cleveland Indians turned back the Minnesota Twins 8-4 in 10 innings and the Chicago White Sox blanked the Baltimore Orioles 4-0.

National League scores: Pittsburgh 2, San Francisco 1; Houston 9, Philadelphia 4; Cincinnati 6, New York 1; Montreal 3, Atlanta 2; Los Angeles 4, Chicago 1 and St. Louis 5, San Diego 4.

Cepeda has not only been hitting homers for Boston, he's been hitting for average, too. The brawny Cepeda, also known as "Cha Cha" for his love of bouncy music, is hitting at a hot .347 clip with 25 hits, four of them doubles. Cepeda has knocked in 17 runs and scored 12.

Ed Kirkpatrick drove in two runs with a sixth-inning double as Kansas City ended New York's four-game winning streak behind the pitching of Paul Splittorff and Gene Garber.

Art Kusnyer doubled home the tie-breaking run in the 12th inning and then scored on Sandy Alomar's sacrifice fly as California defeated slumping Detroit. The Tigers have dropped seven of their last nine games.

Gene Tenace completed a four-run uprising in the 10th inning with a three-run homer as Oakland trimmed Milwaukee. Prior to Tenace's smash, Reggie Jackson had knocked in the go-ahead run with a fielderschoice bouncer.

"I'm not a home run hitter," insisted Tenace, although the figures belie his statement. He's had seven so far this season.

Leo Cardenas, a former Minnesota shortstop, delivered a tie-breaking, two-run single as Cleveland scored four times in the 10th inning and handed Minnesota its fifth straight defeat.

Wilbur Wood pitched his third straight shutout with a six-hitter and became the major league's first six-game winner as Chicago beat Baltimore. Wood, 6-2, extended his scoreless inning streak to 28.

Giants trouble Knicks

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The New York Knicks must conquer the mountain to beat the Los Angeles Lakers for the National Basketball Association championship—and they know it.

Towering Wilt Chamberlain, at 7-feet-1, proved the dominant factor in the opener won by the Lakers 115-112 over the Knicks, and he could be the same here tonight in the second game of the best-of-seven series.

Chamberlain's domination of the boards—with the aid of seven-footer Mel Counts—forced the Knicks into an outside shooting situation.

"With Counts and Chamberlain in the lineup, it really gives them a lot of versatility," commented Knick center Willis Reed, the NBA's most valuable player when New York beat the Lakers for the title three years ago.

"Wilt can come out and challenge our shooters and Counts can stay inside and rebound," said Reed.

Chamberlain blocked seven New York shots and had six assists, most for the Lakers, in the opening game. Reed, Jerry Lucas and Phil Jackson all worked against him, to little avail. At 36, Chamberlain led the league in rebounds with 1,084 during the regular season and hauled down 290 in the two opening playoff sets.

Against the Knicks, he hauled down 20 rebounds and forced the New Yorkers to the hazardous offense of shooting long. In the fourth period, Dave DeBusschere and Bill Bradley did hit from outside with regularity, so the Lakers, who led by 20 points with slightly more than a minute to go in the third quurter, had to hang on for the three-point triumph.

"The fact we closed to within three points makes no difference," commented DeBusschere. "The fact remains we are 0-1."

ABA series tied

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — The Indiana Pacers won't know until gametime whether center Mel Daniels will be able to play in tonight's third American Basketball Association championship playoff game against Kentucky.

Daniels injured his lower back in warmups before Monday night's game at Louisville, which the Colonels won, 114-102, to tie the best-of-7 series at one game apiece.

The 6-foot-9 center played 35 minutes that night despite the injury but his back stiffened after the game. He was still stiff and sore in practice Wednesday.

"We just won't know whether he can play until after he warms up," said Pacer Coach Bobby Leonard. "Obviously, if he can't it's going to be a long, long road for us."

If Daniels can't start, Leonard plans to move 6-9 Darnell Hillman into the middle against Kentucky's giant 7-2 Artis Gilmore, who accounted for 29 points, 26 rebounds and seven blocked shots Monday.

Secretariat favorite

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — Favored Secretariat seems better prepared for the Kentucky Derby than Riva Ridge did before he won last year, says the man who rides both Meadow Stable colts.

"This horse worked better Tuesday morning than Riva did for the Derby last year," jockey Ron Turcotte said after working Secretariat five-eighths of a mile on a sloppy track in 58 3-5 seconds.

Turcotte also worked Angle Light five-eighths in 59 flat. Angle Light and Secretariat are trained by Lucien Laurin, but Angle Light is owned by Edwin Whittaker.

Others expected to be entered today for Saturday's 99th running of the $125,000-added, 1¼mile Derby included Sham, Gold Bag, Restless Jet, Impercunious, Warbucks, My Gallant, Shecky Greene, Navajo, Forego, Royal and Regal, Our Native and Twice a Prince.

Post time for the Derby at Churchill Downs is 5:40 p.m. EDT. CBS will provide television coverage from 5-6 p.m. and radio coverage from 5:25-5:45 p.m.

Laurin and Mrs. Helen Tweedy, operator of Meadow Stable, missed Secretariat's workout. Laurin and Mrs. Tweedy drove from the stable area to the grandstand to watch the work but were late because Laurin had difficulty finding a gate that was open.

But both were satisfied with the workout time and were confident that Secretariat will be their second straight Derby winner, something that hasn't happened since trainer Jimmy Jones and Calumet Farm won with Iron Liege in 1958 and Tim Tam in 1959.

SPORTS

By The Associated Press

HOCKEY

QUEBEC — Veteran goaltender Jacques Plante, most recently with the National Hockey League Boston Bruins, signed a 10-year contract as general manager and head coach of the Quebec Nordiques of the World Hockey Association.

FOOTBALL

PITTSBURGH — THe Pittsburgh Steelers traded veteran corner-back Lee Calland to the Oakland Raiders for an undisclosed draft choice.

BUFFALO — The Buffalo Bills of the National Football League acquired four-year veterans Clem Turner and Jack Gehrke from the Denver Broncos in exchange for an undisclosed draft choice.

BASEBALL

PHILADELPHIA — Philadelphia Phillies' first baseman Deron Johnson was traded to the Oakland Atletics for minor league outfielder-third baseman Jacks Bastable.

BASKETBALL

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. — Jack Ankerson, 31, formerly of the executive staff of the Kentucky Colonels, was named general manager of the San Antonio team of the American Basketball Association.

TENNIS

BAS HOMBURG, Germany — Linda Tuero, Metarie, La., downed Duck-Hee Lee 6-1, 7-5 as the U.S. team scored a 2-1 victory over South Korea and moved into the quarter-finals against West Germany in Federation Cup tennis competition.

SPORTS

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

EVANSVILLE, Ind. (AP) — Assumption, Long Beach State and Kent State will compete in the University of Evansville's 18th holiday basketball tournament Dec. 28-29, Evansville head Coach Arad McCutchan announced Wednesday.

MADISON, Wis. (AP) — Bob Bell, assistant athletic director at the University of Wisconsin, has resigned effective June 30, Athletic Director Elroy Hirsch said Wednesday. Bell, 40, cited personal reasons for leaving the job. He has been assistant AD since 1971, after serving in a similar post at UCLA.

CHARLOTTE, N.C.(AP) — Floyd M. "Coach" Simmons, who coached strong Davidson College football teams in the early 1900s, died Wednesday at the age of 90.

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Charleston loses

CHARLESTON — The Charleston Blue Jays fell victim to Poplar Bluff, 8-0, Wednesday afternoon. Steve Jones shut out the Jays allowing them only three hits. He also struck out eight of the batters.

Action was slow during the first few innings. The Mules kicked off the top of the third, though, and opened up for five runs. The bats were quiet once again, until the final inning, when Poplar Bluff succeeded in bringing across three more runs.

Tutti Hayes led the Mules to the win with four RBI's.

Charleston now holds a 3-4 record and will go against Cairo at Bertrand Thursday afternoon.

Box Score:

POPLAR BLUFF (8)	AB	R	H
Blackman, ss	3	1	1
Holt, 2b	4	1	1
T. Hayes, c	2	1	0
Hayes, cf	3	1	1
Hargeh, 3b	3	1	1
Williams, 3b	3	0	0
Persons, lf	2	0	0
Brown, rf	2	0	0
Jones, p	2	1	1
J. Jones, lf	2	0	0
Robertson, rf	2	0	0
Grange, ph	1	1	0
Pennington, ph	1	0	1
Moe, 3b	1	1	0
Totals	31	8	6

CHARLESTON (3)			
Greigs, ss	2	0	1
Schott, 2b	2	0	1
Hatchet, cf	2	0	0
Smith, 3b	3	0	1
Ritchey, 3b	3	0	0
DeLay, rf	2	0	0
Patnam, lf	1	0	0
Medlock, c	1	0	0
Bailey, p	1	0	0
Langkite, ss	1	0	0
Johnson, lf	1	0	0
Quertermous, p	1	0	0
McKenney	1	0	0
Hastey, lf	1	0	0
Collier, c	1	0	0
Totals	23	0	3

Poplar Bluff	005 0003
Charleston	000 000 0

A's trade Bastable

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — "If you got to go, it's good to go with a team that has a chance to win it all," said Deron Johnson.

The 33-year-old Johnson was dealt by the Philadelphia Phillies to the Oakland Athletics Wednesday for rookie third baseman Jack Bastable.

"It's a break for me," said Johnson, after learning he would join the A's, last year's World Series champions.

Johnson, who in 10 years as a major league player has been with the New York Yankees, Kansas City A's, Cincinnati, Atlanta and Philadelphia, expects a chance to make the Oakland team, rather than be used only as a designated hitter.

"They talked to me about being a designated hitter, but said they wanted to see me play first base," Johnson said.

Johnson was hitting .167 with one home run and five runs batted in in 12 games this season for the Phillies. He was sidelined most of last season with a nerve ailment in his left foot. In 1971, however, he hit 34 home runs and had 95 RBI.

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HILTON HEAD ISLAND, S.C. — Top-seeded Margaret Court, Australia, defeated Kathy Kuykendall, Miami, 6-4, 6-2 in the first round of the Family Circle Professional Women's Tennis Tournament.

GOLF

PINEHURST, N.C. — Bill Harvey defeated defending champion Danny Edwards, and Stan Stopa eliminated two former winners, Tom Draper and Bill Campbell, to share the lead in North and South Amateur Golf Tournament play.

BOWLING

GARDEN CITY, N.Y. — Patty Costello, New Carrollton, Md., amassed a 1,380 series and took the lead in the $30,000 U.S. Women's Open Bowling Tournament.

Among the major leaguers who played for new Phillie manager Danny Ozark are Jim Lefebvre, Ken McMullen and Pete Richert.

Former Syracuse trainer, Gene Monahan, is the new trainer for the New York Yankees. He succeeds Joe Soares who retired after holding the post since 1961.

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Hahs, Buchanan win sub-district

Sikeston netters David Hahs and Brad Buchanan will advance to the district tennis tournament Saturday at Cape Girardeau by virtue of their semi- final victory in the doubles event Wednesday in the Kennett subdistrict tennis battle- offs.

Coach John Heacox's racketmen and the Poplar Bluff netmen tied in total team points and became subdistrict co- champs. Each squad totaled 9.5 points with Kennett capturing eight team points.

In singles play, Kennett's Terry Mills and Neal Davis emerged as semifinalists as they turned back Sikeston's Jeff Robey and Matt Matthews respectively in second round action. Robey had topped second- seeded Greg Wilson of Caruthersville and Rick Garmon of Poplar Bluff to advance to his match with Mills, only to drop straight 6-3, 6-1 sets to the KHS volleyman.

Matthew drew a first round bye and then battled the district's top tennis player, Davis. Even though the two played just two sets which Davis won 6-2, 6-3, the match was one of the longest of the day because nearly every game went deuce several times before it was decided. A special commendation should go out to the SHS junior netter, as he battled what many people consider a state finalist in Davis.

Hahs and Buchanan of Sikeston and York and Williams of Poplar Bluff were the distirct qualifiers in the doubles event.

The Sikeston duo handily defeated their three challengers from Kennett, Malden, and Poplar Bluff to advance into district play and try to defend their 1972 doubles crown.

PBHS' York and Williams advanced into the semi-finals by taking a struggling Sikeston team of Bill Lewis and Bill Colwick in third round action. Lewis and Colwick could not complete a good first serve which eventually led to their downfall.

In the Flat River subdistrict, the Farmington Knights won the team championship with 11.5 points followed by Cape Central's 7.5 tallies.

The singles contestants that will be advancing to district play at Cape Saturday are Fitz of Farmington and Frentz of DeSoto.

Cape's number one doubles team, Fallert and Weaks, will be representing CCHS and Farmington's duo of Thomas and Johnson will make up the other qualifying doubles competitor.

District golf meet Monday at Bluff

POPLAR BLUFF— The Missouri State High School Athletic Association District Golf Tournament will be held May 7 at the Westwood Hills Country Club with 15 4-man teams seeking the title.

A coaches' meeting will be held at 11:30 a.m. and a players' meeting at 11:45 a.m. District play will be 18 holes starting at noon.

Players may practice from 10:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. with one ball only. No practice putting will be allowed on the regular greens. A practice green and driving range are available.

Two teams will qualify for the State tournament at Columbia on May 18-19. Two low individuals unless members of the two low teams will qualify for the State meet.

Poplar Bluff is the defending District champion. William Welden of Perryville High School is the individual defending District champion with a 73 last season.

Tom Hoover, assistant principal of Poplar Bluff High School, is the tournament manager.

PAIRINGS
MSHAA SOUTHEAST DISTRICT TOURNAMENT
MAY 7, 1973

NO. 1 TEE

12:00 noon	Fred Copeland, New Madrid William Welden, Perryville Craig Schnurbusch, Farmington Brad Locke, Poplar Bluff
12:08 p.m.	Jeff Hutton, Cape Central Dennis Meyer, Sikeston John Vogel, St. Vincent David McMurray, Poplar Bluff
12:16 p.m.	Ben Cantrell, Caruthersville Fred Mathews, Kennett Michael Schamburg, Perryville Joe Schaper, Northwest
12:24 p.m.	Steve Carron, St. Vincent Chris Miltenberger, Kennett Alton Southerland, Dexter Pete Godwin, Poplar Bluff
12:32 p.m.	Ron Fischer, Cape Central Vic Trammell, Dexter Greg Stumpf, Northwest Nicky Arnold, Malden
12:40 p.m.	Stuart Selves, Kennett John Prost, St. Vincent Keith Inman, Caruthersville John Pettet, Poplar Bluff
12:48 p.m.	Mike Logel, Cape Central Don Downing, Kennett Jim Shaner, Farmington Mark Shaw, Sikeston
12:56 p.m.	John Brewer, Perryville Pat Prost, St. Vincent Dave Blankenship, Cape Central Bruce Vancil, Dexter
1:04 p.m.	John Useted, Dexter Billy Cohen, Malden Chris Crysler, Caruthersville Doug Kure, Farmington

NO. 10 TEE

12:00 noon	Shelton Sago, Flat River Greg Ajemian, North Country Jim Boyd, Caruthersville Ben Ashley, New Madrid
12:08	Mike Moll, Malden Mark Oberdeck, Northwest Mike Menne, Arcadia Valley Robert Heuring, Perryville
12:16	Mark Phillips, New Madrid Bill Wake, Sikeston Mike Ledbetter, Farmington Donald Lee, Flat River
12:24	Tom Evans, Northwest Mike Moore, North County Tom Maguffee, Arcadia Valley Galen Kruger, Sikeston
12:32	Mark Dayhoff, North County Jon Manning, Arcadia Valley Greg Leet, Flat River Robin Leuckel, Malden
12:40	Joe Dunlap, North County Bill Miller, Arcadia Valley Don Hodson, Flat River Craig Hunter, New Madrid

Rough game

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — "They allow mayhem out there," Coach Bob Cousy said Wednesday night after his U. S. team easily whipped Russia 83-67 to take a 2-1 lead in their six-game exhibition basketball series.

Cousy obviously was pleased with the victory, but his Russian counterpart, Vladimir Kondrashin, was not. The coach refused to talk to the press after the game and refused to allow his players to.

Cousy's use of the term mayhem was considerable understatement to most observers of the rugged game. Elbows and hips flew abundantly, and there were nearly fights when tempers flared.

UCLA's Swen Nater, who was called a "dirty player" by Kondrashin earlier in the week, nearly tangled twice with Ivan Dvornii.

Each took exception to the other's conduct toward smaller players. Nater is 7 feet tall and weighs 250 pounds. Dvornii is 69½ and weighs 242.

Referee Martti Huhtamaki of Finland warned each player about his conduct several times.

Aleksei Shukshin got a bloody nose in the first half, and he was taken out of the game with a leg injury after Nater knocked him down late in the second half. Salnikov was temporarily blinded after Jim Oxley of the U.S. Army stuck a finger in his eye.

Cousy said the highly partisan crowd of more than 15,000 contributed to the victory: "It's tough for the Russians to play before crowds like that. We had the team ready to tear down the dressing room doors when they went out for the game, and the crowd kept the adrenalin pumping."

Hitting 55 per cent of their shots, the U.S. players ran up an 18-point advantage before slipping to a 13-point margin at halftime.

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Rematch near

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Los Angeles is the probable site and Sept. 10 or 11 the likely date for a rematch between heavyweight fighters Muhammad Ali and Ken Norton, the San Diego Union said today.

The newspaper quoted informed sources as saying Lee Fruin, who promoted the first Ali-Norton fight here March 31, has "bailed out" of negotiations for a second fight.

Fruin's withdrawal would eliminate San Diego as a location. Other possibilities are New York, Las Vegas, Nev., and Houston.

Promoter Don Fraser was to meet with representatives of both sides in New York today in an attempt to sign the bout for the Forum in Inglewood, a suburb of Los Angeles.

4-ball at N.M.

NEW MADRID — The New Madrid Country Club will host a two- day four- ball golf tournament May 26-27.

There will be four classes including Championship, A.B, and C. The tournament will be limited to 60 teams or closing date of May 20, whichever comes first.

There will be $1200 in prize money plus trophies for the winners.

Entry fees will be $15.00 per person and $30.00 per team and must be mailed to Hal Hunter at the New Madrid Courthouse. Zip Code 63869.

Oran wins opener

ORAN — The Southeast Missouri Softball league season opened Wednesday night. Jackson traveled to Oran, braving the muddy field, only to be dropped 7-0.

Donny Roberts pitched the shutout. Jackson found Roberts to be tough competition as he allowed only one hit and fanned 10. T. Trankler suffered the loss for Jackson.

Oran supplied steady power at the bat, as their runs were evenly distributed throughout the game. The first scores came across in the first inning, to make it 2-0. The edge was opened somewhat during the third when they picked up an additional two runs. The final three markers came in the last of the sixth and Oran had their first win of the new season.

Dannenmueller had the only extra base hit with a triple.

New Hamburg falls

KELSO — Kelso picked up their first win in the Southeast Missouri Softball League Wednesday night when they defeated New Hamburg 8-5.

Kenny Russell, the winning pitcher, had two hits, one being a double. Norm Esnur also had two hits, for Kelso.

Kelso was first on the scoreboard when they brought in three runs in the first inning. New Hamburg came back during the second to close the gap, scoring two. Kelso continued consistent playing, bringing in two more runs but could not stop New Hamburg, as they too, scored two.

Kelson gained a further edge on Hamburg when they sneaked across a single run during the sixth inning. Hamburg's last attempt at the plate could not produce the needed score to break out for thywin and so fell to Kelso in the opening game.

D. Kirn was the losing pitcher. He managed to strike out nine and also hit a round tripper.

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Mules win, 9-1

BERNIE-- Reuben White smacked a homerun to supply the power and lefty Dell Walker supplied the pitching as the Mules swept past the Risco Tigers 9- 1 here Wednesday afternoon.

The Mules put their bats to work in the bottom of the first inning and chased six runs across the plate before the side could be retired.

The Mules scored single runs in the second, fourth and sixth innings while the Tigers pushed across their run in the sixth.

Bernie reached Andy Smelser, the losing pitcher for ten hits while Walker limited the Tigers to five singles. Walker also contributed a triple to the attack and held his season's batting average at the .600 mark. The win put the Bernie team to 7- 1 for the year.

BERNIE (9)	AB	R	H
Baker cf	4	1	1
Carson ss	3	1	1
White c	4	2	1
Walker p	3	2	2
Fears rf	3	1	1
Jennings 2b	2	1	2
Smothers lf	2	1	1
Stuever 1b	3	0	1
Stanfill 3b	3	0	0
Totals	27	9	10

RISCO (1)	AB	R	H
Byrd lf	3	0	0
Wilson ss	3	0	1
Smeiser p	2	1	1
Bates c	2	0	1
Rawlings 3b	3	0	1
McCord 2b	3	0	1
Peterson 3b	2	0	0
Sweney rf	3	0	0
May cf	3	0	0
Totals	24	1	5

Risco	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 — 1
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Tigers advance

ALTON-- Neelyville, Van Buren, and Elsinore advanced to the second round of the District 9 baseball tournament here Wednesday afternoon.

Carl Patty pitched the Neelyville Tigers past Summersville 8- 1 as Bill Hampton took the loss. Ron Jackson slammed a homerun for Summersville.

Elsinore had a rough time before edgeing Thayer 7- 6 as Mike Curtis picked up the win.

Van Buren scored three runs in the top of the sixth inning to pull out the victory over Winona 4- 1 behind the hurling of Carl Nicholson. Nicholson gave up only two hits and struckout 15 batters enroute to the victory.

Max Ross hit a homerun in the first inning for the Bulldogs and Winona tied the score at 1- 1 in the bottom of the fifth. Tom Haynes took the loss. Ross batted in three of the four runs for Van Buren.

SPORTS

VANCOUVER, B.C. (AP) — The British Columbia Lions of the Canadian Football League announced today that three offensive linemen have signed 1973 contracts with the club.

Contracts were signed by Robert Brown of the University of Tampa, Robbie Allen of Bishop's University and Bob Currie of the University of Hawaii. Currie played three games for the Lions in 1972.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J. (AP) — Rutgers University has signed Tom Young, who compiled a 61-37 record as coach at American University, in Washington, D.C., to head the basketball program at the New Jersey state university.

The announcement of Young's four-year appointment was made Monday. Terms were not disclosed.

A graduate of the University of Maryland, Young put together 12 winning records in 13 seasons of coaching at American and Catholic universities.

DETROIT (AP) — The Detroit Red Wings of the National Hockey League plan to announce their new coach today, with Ted Garvin of the Port Huron farm team a strong contender for the job.

Johnny Wilson was fired from the post April 13 and Garvin's name came into view almost immediately afterwards. Wing General Manager Ned Harkness talked with Garvin last week and the two met team owner Bruce Norris in New York afterwards.

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) — A 10-year-old mare brought $38,000, the top price in the annual Tattersall's spring sale of horses at Lexington.

Carter Duer, as agent, purchased the mare, Nicama, from the estate of Ray Forsyth, which had nine horses in the sale.

The 136 horses sold in the spring sale brought an average of $3,119 each.

CLEVELAND (AP) — Cleveland Cavalier Coach Bill Fitch is working in a new expanded role today for the National Basketball Association draft.

Fitch was given the added duties of general manager Monday night. He has been coach and director of player personnel since the Cavs was founded three years ago.

Cavalier President Nick J. Mileti, who has also held the title of general manager, said Fitch "has earned the right to increased responsibility with the Cavs' organization.

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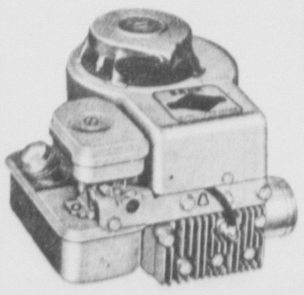
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Deodato Steps Out from Back Stage

By MARY CAMPBELL
AP Newsfeatures Writer

"Also Sprach Zarathustra," written by Richard Strauss, arranged by a 29-year-old Brazilian, Eumir Deodato, and played by a 10-man group called Deodato, sat at No. 4 on the best-selling pop singles chart for three weeks, ending April 7.

Deodato isn't a household word, or wasn't until "Zarathustra," having been, in his words, "back stage" in the record business. In fact, he was the arranger of the B side, "Just Like a Woman," of the Roberta Flack record, "Killing Me Softly with his Song," that stayed ahead of "Zarathustra" on the best-selling chart.

His single is from the LP, "Prelude/Deodato" on CTI Records and there was no thought of shortening that track and putting it out as a single until various disc jockeys started doing it. Deodato thinks now it may be the biggest hit single a Brazilian artist has had in the United States; the next he thinks is Sergio Mendez's "Look of Love."

Deodato hadn't played piano for seven years when he performed "Zarathustra" at the Hollywood Bowl at a concert the record company was giving to show its artists. The favorable response brought about the recording and the recording has now brought Deodato to the decision to be a performer instead of solely a writer and arranger. And he has determined to do whatever is necessary to establish a level and maintain it — promotion tours, interviews and touring to give concerts with the 10-man group. The group is different from the people on the recording; most of them were part of other groups.

In Rio de Janeiro, where Deodato was born, he went to college for three years, studying engineering, and at the same time played organ and piano behind a popular singer, having done all the arrangements for the show. "I was playing in nightclubs, through around 3 in the morning every day, with Mondays off. I was having to wake up at 7 to get to school, having lunch at school and going to the lab for experiments. Whenever I could get back home I would get some sleep. That gave me a premature ulcer." It also led him to quit college, quit performing and move to New York, which he did permanently in 1970.

"I think New York, Tokyo, Paris and maybe London are places where you can base yourself and still do things all

EUMIR DEODATO

over the world. But every time I have a chance I try to escape and go to Brazil for a month or so.

"I was labeled a bossa nova arranger for many years here. I didn't get any other jobs. It got me worried for awhile. I thought it was going to be for life. Then Creed Taylor of CTI Records broke that label. He called me to do some arrangements for Wes Montgomery. At that time he was having a big hit. I got scared. I got sick for three months just on the thought of that. So Creed told me to do a few arrangements, not the whole album. I was so thrilled and so scared. I learned a lot. Creed gave me tremendous insight into record production and record making. After a while I started getting assignments with big singers. The more I was doing it the more I was learning, things like the elements that give a song a chance of being a hit."

Deodato likes to go camping and mentioned maybe buying a motor home or buying a boat.

One of the songs on the album is "Spirit of Summer," which Deodato wrote to enter in the 1970 Rio Song Festival. It got second prize. "Basically I used the same arrangement I used down there. It is a song that I think would sound nice in a movie. I intend to use it in a movie some time, as the theme." Deodato has scored a few movies but none lately because he hasn't been offered any script he likes. He would like to do some, using his 10-man group to perform.

Also on the LP is "Carly and Carole." "I was motivated by Carly Simon and Carole King. In a cab going to New Jersey for a recording session that melody came to my mind. Usually the best tunes I have come like that — they just come, the entire piece.

"After that I worked it out a little bit, changed a few things around. I kept it for a better opportunity, to record it.

"I use a cassette tape, so when I have some ideas, it could be in the middle of the night, I just go there and put it in. I find myself with half a dozen cassettes full of melodies and never have time to go through them to see what is useable. I whistle them, or hum.

"I believe the basic idea should be melody. If I go to the piano, I start to elaborate too much. Your fingers command you rather than your mind. It happens a lot with whoever plays keyboard. I don't write arrangements with the piano, either. Your fingers automatically go on certain chords. First on paper. Then go to piano; check it out. I've got my best arrangements like that, too.

"'September 13' on the album came about because we had studio time and we were having a break and the drummer was playing a nice beat, a great beat. I thought, 'Why don't we do something to it?' I shouted, 'Please record; don't ask the title!' I gave them a chord and it was pure jam.

"I took the tape home and listened to it very carefully. I marked down the number of bars. Whenever the drummer breaks I mark it down. Then I built a little melody that would fit exactly on certain spots. I just added horns and flutes to that tape; no more. I didn't change one note. We just used the title of the day we did it."

Touring has started already, with a week in Boston.

About his own piano work on "Also Sprach Zarathustra," Deodato says, "I don't have that much jazz technique; I don't have any piano jazz technique. The only thing I can do is play to the beat and do rhythmic phrases on piano, reinforce the beat in other words, follow the beat. It was no style or anything like that. It became a style.

"Again it proves that when you're trying to do something on purpose it never works out. Things become things. They never are. You can not predict them or provoke them."

Stamps In The News

AP Newsfeatures
By SYD KRONISH

Republic Day is a national holiday in Guyana.

That's the day the little country celebrates the anniversary of its independence and simultaneously hails the day many years ago when the slaves brought to Guyana (formerly called Guinea) struck their first blow for freedom.

To honor this occasion, Guyana has issued four new stamps featuring famous buildings within its borders. The 8 cent and 50 cent show pyramid-shape buildings called "Uman Yana," sometimes referred to as the meeting places of the people, much as the town halls of America are used.

The 25 cent and 40-cent stamps depict the Bethel Chapel, an historical landmark preserved by the government. This religious edifice is revered by the local populace.

In announcing this new set of stamps, postal authorities there proudly claimed: "Republic Day is but a reminder to the people of Guyana how fragile all freedoms are unless continuously observed."

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Although it may be confusing to some, the fact remains that there are two "Chinas" and both are issuing stamps for their respective countries.

Two album supplements for stamps of the People's Republic of China (Mainland) by Minkus Publications are now ready for collectors. Both consist of 72 pages. The first one is designed to fit the Master Global, Supreme Global, Comprehensive and World Wide Albums. It sells for $2.50. The second is for the Minkus Regional type album and sells for $3.50.

A third Mainland China supplement is in the works to be released late this year. This one will cover the stamps of North China and Northeast China.

The Chinese government on the island of Taiwan has just issued four new stamps hailing the traditional handcrafts of its people. One stamp illustrates a bamboo sailboat. Another stamp depicts a marble vase painted with flowers and a bird. The third adhesive pictures a landscape-decorated glass plate on a stand. The final stamp in this set has a doll dressed as a bridegroom carrying his bride on his back to their new home.

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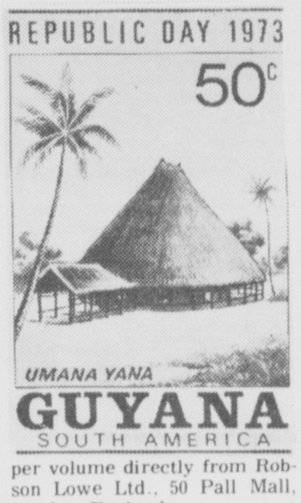
The famed Robson Lowe's Encyclopedia of British Empire Stamps, Volume I (Great Britain and the Empire in Europe) which has long been out of print is being republished.

Volume I is being produced in two books totaling 468 pages within a gold cover. This edition covers in detail the philately of the British Empire in nine parts and may be purchased for $7.50 per volume directly from Robson Lowe Ltd., 50 Pall Mall, London, England.



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To herald the opening of INTERPEX (The International Philatelic Exhibition) in New York, nine of the participating governments issued new stamps. The countries included: Australia, Great Britain, British Virgin Islands, Canada, Guernsey, Isle of Man, Jersey, Liechtenstein, New Zealand, Papua-New Guinea, San Marino, United Nations, United States and Western Samoa.

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deceased.)
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TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF C. A. Bramlett, deceased.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, THOMAS L. Oldham and Billie J. Oldham, his wife, by a certain Deed of Trust dated the 23 day of July, 1971, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of Scott and the State of Missouri, in Book 175, Page 605, conveyed to the undersigned Trustee the following described real estate situated in the County of Scott and State of Missouri, to wit:

The South 100 feet of Lots 15 and 16 of Block 9 in the Frisco Addition to the City of Sikeston, Scott County, Missouri.

Which conveyance was made to the undersigned in trust to secure the payment of a certain Promissory Note in said Deed specified; and

WHEREAS, on the 24th day of October, 1972, Jack R. Mitchell and Ayleen G. Mitchell, his wife, assumed and agreed to pay the debt secured by said Deed of Trust, and

WHEREAS, said note is now past due and remains unpaid default having been made in the payment of said note.

NOW, THEREFORE, at the request of the legal holder of said Note and in pursuance of the conditions of said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee will sell the property above described at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the Main Front door of the Circuit Court House in the City of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, on May 15, 1973, between the hours of 9:00 A. M., and 5:00 P. M., for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust.

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Sealed fixed price proposals will be received by the City of Caruthersville, Missouri at the office of the City Clerk until 5 o'clock P.M. Daylight Savings Time, on May 21, 1973, for the construction of Water Treatment Plant Improvements including construction of a chemical storage and feed room, aerator enclosure, pump station equipment, instrumentation, heating, piping and other miscellaneous and appurtenant work.

Any and all proposals received after the time specified above will be returned unopened.

Copies of the Plans, Specifications and other Contract Documents are on file at the office of the City Clerk and of the Consulting Engineer, Buescher Frankenberg Associates, 301 East Main Street, Union, Missouri 63084. A set of the Documents may be obtained from the Engineer at the address stipulated above upon deposit of $25.00. The full amount of the deposit for one set only of such Documents will be refunded to each actual bidder making such deposit and who submits a proposal thereunder, upon the return of the Documents, and $10.00 of each other deposit will be refunded upon the return of all Documents covered thereby, within 30 days after the bids are opened.

Each bidder shall file with his bid a Cashier's check or a certified check drawn on an acceptable bank, or an acceptable bidder's bond, in an amount of not less than 5 per cent of the total amount of his bid.

The successful bidder to whom a contract is awarded will be required to furnish a performance bond, acceptable to the City of Caruthersville, Missouri, in the amount of 100 per cent of the contract, in conformity with the requirements of the contract documents.

The right is reserved by the City of Caruthersville, Missouri to reject any or all bids and to waive informalities. No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of thirty (30) days after the time set for receipt of bids.
CITY OF CARUTHERSVILLE, MISSOURI
By Bill Inman
Mayor

Judith Henderson
City Clerk
55 inc. 68

WANT ADS

5. Personals

Mrs. Wilma Evans L.P.N, has room in her home at 318 N. Prairie in Bloomfield to care for elderly people. For further information Call 568-2611

7. Apartments - Furn.

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3 room furnished apt. Utlities paid. Call 471-2772

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471-7727

9. House For Rent

4 room house. 704 Vernon. $55 per month. 471-1382

For Rent — 6 room house 1 mile north of Miner on blacktop. Call 471-2767

For Rent — 3 bedroom house, $125. per month. Call 471-3274

10. Furnished Houses

2 bedroom furnished house after 5:00 p.m. 471-1878

11A. Mobile Homes For Rent

2 bedroom mobile home. Central air. Shag carpet. 471-4061 or 471-2156

For Rent — 12x65 ft. Mobile home on large fenced lot. 471-8154 after 5 p.m.

2 bedroom mobile home. Charcoal Trailer Ct. Hwy 61 N. 471-0043 and 471-5419

For Rent — 2 bedroom mobile home on Harry St. 471-2156 or 471-4061

11. Misc. For Rent

Pianos & Organs for Sale & Rent. Jay's Music Company. Dexter, Mo. 624-4484

For Lease or rent — Dunn Hotel Barber Shop. Operated for 33 years. Good location. 2 City parking lots, will redecorate to suit tenant. Inc. new chairs, booths, etc, to make a modern hair styling shop. 109 E. Malone. Call 471-4264

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17. Wanted Misc.

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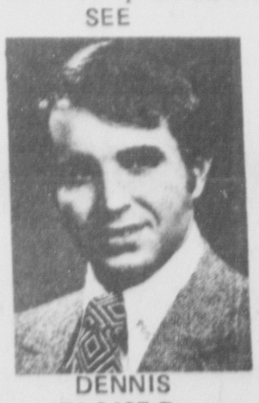

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North End by Hospital — 5 bedroom brick - Central air & heat modern kitchen, 2 baths- carpeted - finished basement - located close to stores, churches, banks - Price only $34,500 Drapes & Refrigerator go with home.

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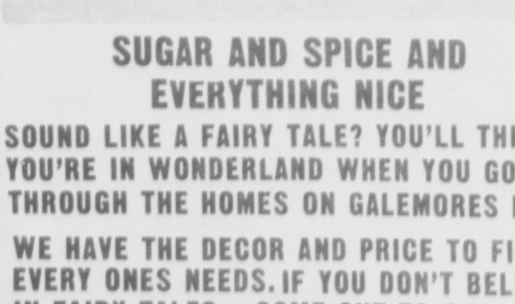

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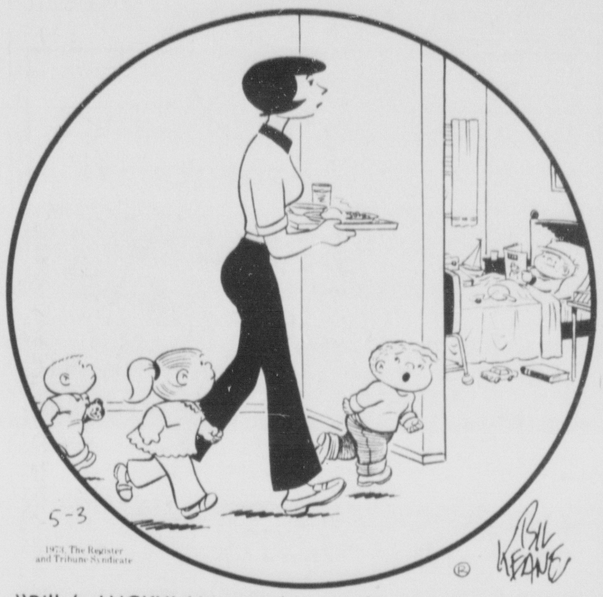

"Billy's LUCKY! He gets his meals on a tray, Daddy brings him presents, he watches TV all day . . ."

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"Hello—Friendly Neighborhood Loan Company? I'd like to borrow a cup of money!"

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Friday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Build	31 Be	61 To
2 Erratic	32 To	62 Upon
3 If	33 Be	63 Important
4 There's	34 Good	64 Influential
5 Invest	35 Cause	65 Friend
6 Member	36 You	66 Is
7 Bring	37 Mental	67 And
8 Be	38 Don't	68 Agreements
9 People	39 Sex	69 Meaningful
10 Do	40 Abilities	70 Friends
11 Friends	41 Leases	71 Invitations
12 Foundation	42 Greatly	72 Sell
13 Conditions	43 Notice	73 People
14 You	44 Writing	74 Prepared
15 Change	45 Work	75 To
16 In	46 You	76 Grant
17 Of	47 Could	77 Favors
18 Yourself	48 Stimulation	78 Compliment
19 Alert	49 Depend	79 New
20 Will	50 Pays	80 Eventual
21 Things	51 Don't	81 Your
22 Will	52 And	82 Be
23 For	53 Impressed	83 Anyone's
24 May	54 Of	84 Yourself
25 Quarrel	55 Phoning	85 Short
26 And	56 In	86 Profit
27 Your	57 Special	87 Contacts
28 Opposite	58 With	88 Personality
29 Personally	59 Lose	89 Promises
30 Check	60 Extending	90 Nervous

ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19: 64-65-66-74 / 75-76-77
TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20: 11-22-33-44 / 55-60-71
GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20: 7-18-32-43 / 54-63-73
CANCER JUNE 21 – JULY 22: 3-14-25-36 / 47-59-70
LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22: 4-15-26-37 / 48-56-79-87
VIRGO AUG. 23 – SEPT. 22: 10-21-29-38 / 49-62-83-89
LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22: 5-16-27-40 / 51-72-84-85
SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21: 9-20-31-42 / 53-58-81-88
SAGITTARIUS NOV. 22 – DEC. 21: 8-19-30-41 / 52-57-68
CAPRICORN DEC. 22 – JAN. 19: 1-12-23-34 / 45-67-80-86
AQUARIUS JAN. 20 – FEB. 18: 2-13-24-35 / 46-[illegible]-82-90
PISCES FEB. 19 – MAR. 20: 6-17-28-39 / 50-69-78

5-F Good Adverse 5/4 Neutral

"YOU KNOW VERY WELL I TOLD YOU THAT MILK WAS SOUR!"

OUT OUR WAY by Neg Cochran

OUR BOARDING HOUSE with Major Hoople

People and Things

ACROSS

1 Eisenhower's nickname
4 Hardy heroine
8 American humorist
12 Century (ab.)
13 French girl friend
14 Iris layer (anat.)
15 Football position
16 Little by little
18 Sports enthusiasts (slang)
20 Takes a breather
21 Cowboy's nickname
22 Ripped
24 Tibetan monk
26 Patriarch of Alexandria
27 Golfer's term
30 Zoroastrian sacred books
32 Chemical hydrocarbon
34 Gloss
35 Fastened with brads
36 East (Fr.)
37 Clamps
39 Rots flax
40 Stratagem
41 Legal point
42 Lance
45 Relied on
49 Sympathetic
51 Food fish
52 Tropical plant
53 Feminine suffix
54 Educational group (ab.)
55 Fling
56 Peruse
57 Stray

DOWN

1 Froster of pastries
2 Gambling game
3 Provision for support
4 Records
5 Turkish title
6 Midday snooze
7 Dry, as wine
8 Cow's cud
9 Currier's partner
10 Tidy
11 Damsels (dial.)
17 Printing mistakes
19 Annoy
23 Uncloses
24 Bathe (poet.)
25 Birds (zool.)
26 Helen's abductor (legend)
27 Biblical region
28 The dill
29 Communists
31 Holding right
33 Engages for service
38 Small (Fr.)
40 Fits of anger
41 Governed
42 Begone!
43 Horseback game
44 Son of Seth (Bib.)
46 Polynesian chestnut
47 European river
48 Expensive
50 Saul's uncle (Bib.)

Answer to Previous Puzzle

A	P	S	E		P	R	A	Y		P	E	W
I	R	A	N		A	T	R	E		A	D	O
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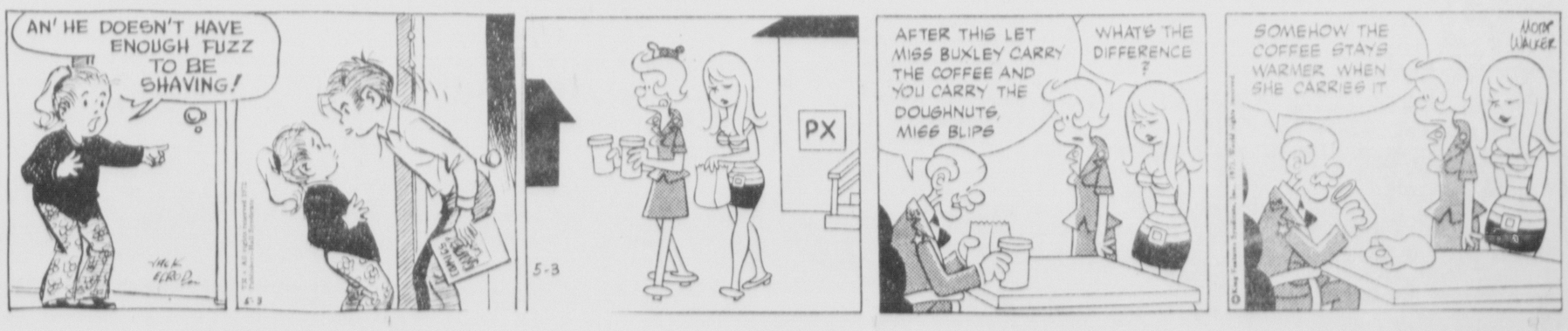

Today in U.S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Thursday, May 3, the 123rd day of 1973. There are 242 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1494, Christopher Columbus discovered the island of Jamaica.

On this date:

In 1814, King Louis XVIII of France returned to Paris after allied forces defeated Napoleon Bonaparte.

In 1802, Washington, D.C., was incorporated.

In 1919, airplane passenger service was inaugurated when Robert Hewitt flew two women from New York to Atlantic City, N.J.

In 1923, Navy Lt. Oakley G. Kelly and John A. MacReady completed the first nonstop transcontinental flight, landing at Coronado Beach, Calif.

Swink will seek suspension review

FARMINGTON, Mo. (AP) — Judge J. O. Swink of Farmington, said he plans to ask the Missouri Supreme Court to review a recommendation for his temporary suspension.

Following hearings last week, the State Commission on Retirement, Removal and Discipline recommended to the state high court that the Circuit Court judge be suspended for 30 days.

The commission charged Swink with using court library funds to install air conditioning in his office, accusing prosecutor Stanley M. Murphy of mishandling funds and using abusive language toward Murphy.

"I have been in court today and have not had a chance to discuss it with Charles Medley, a local attorney who is representing me," Swink said Monday. "The code of ethics is pretty strict in that state and I cannot discuss the case further until the Supreme Court rules on the commission's recommendation." Swink is judge of the 24th Circuit, which includes Madison, Perry, St. Francois and Ste. Genevieve counties.

The prosecuting attorney was successful last year in forcing Judge Swink to disqualify himself in 94 cases before the court. Swink said previously that Murphy took the action against him because the judge did not grant the prosecutor a continuance on a case in which he filed the wrong legal papers.

Fjords cut so deeply into Norway that its indented coastline is almost as long as Australia's.

LOOKING BACK

6 first class winners in inter-scholastic meet

50 years ago
May 3, 1923

Morehouse-- B.I. Howard was a Sikeston visitor Thursday.

Route One-- Mrs. Jim Baker is on the sick list.

Kelso-- Joe Glastetter is the owner of a new Ford car.

Charleston-- W.G. Russell of East Prairie spent last Friday in this city.

40 years ago
May 3, 1933

Morley-- Miss Lucille McDonough visited Mrs. Roy Bess in Charleston Sunday.

Arthur Otto and family moved last Thursday to their former home at Denvers, Ill. Mr. Otto, with his family, moved to Sikeston about seven years ago, later going to their farm in the Richwoods neighborhood. They have many friends here who regret their moving, but who wish them best of success at their former home.

Mrs. T.A. Martin is conducting a free kindergarten at her home for the next two weeks for children from two to three years of age.

Representatives from the classes of the local high school entering the contests in the Inter- Scholastic meet held at Cape Girardeau last weekend made a good showing with six persons winning first place in their various divisions, six winning second place, five winning third, and two fourth place winners. Following is a list of the first and second place winners: First place winners: Orville Lumsden, French I; Maxine Husher, cooking; Mildred Brewer, sewing; Raymond Bandy, grain judging; Vinson Jones, dairy judging; and Frank Alton, stock judging. Second place: Ruth Moore, French I; Virginia Baker, advance piano; Laura Jo Smith, voice; Fred Jones, grain judging; Pat Adams, poultry judging; and Neva Mae Taylor, advanced typing, State Association District Contest.

30 years ago
May 3, 1943

The Land Loan Division of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., has discontinued its office in Sikeston, because of the small amount of real estate remaining unsold. The local office, which had been located in the Buckner- Ragsdale building, was discontinued effective May 1, when it was found the office was no longer necessary. W.L. Oliver will remain in charge of the work of the Metropolitan Co., in this section until Steve G. Rodgers, who is on temporary disability leave, can return to work with the company. H.D. Bashore, farm salesman with the local office, has been transferred to the company's office at Kirksville, where he will do similar work. Miss Edith Elmore, who has been employed in the local office has been transferred to the Memphis office.

In observance of her birthday anniversary, Patsy Carol Sims entertained 14 of her friends at a party at her home on North Ranney Monday.

Mrs. Roy Duncan and son, Donald, sent to St. Louis Saturday to visit the former's sister until Tuesday, when they expected to leave for San Francisco, Calif., to join Mr. Duncan, who has been employed in the shipyards there for the past four months.

For sale the B.V. Forrester home, 223 West Gladys, new and completely modern; also the P.E. Crawford home, Highway 61, east of the high school addition. C. Clarence Scott.

20 years ago
May 3, 1953

East Prairie-- David Bright, 74, one of East Prairie's most popular and influential citizens, died at his home here yesterday. For 40 years he published the East Prairie Eagle and was a power in Democratic policies of this area.

Charleston-- Funeral services for Mrs. Bertha Hicks Boyd, 70, a resident of Charleston since she was 18, were held today. She died Saturday at St. Mary's Hospital in Cairo.

Aletha C. Pitt, 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pitt, 317 Hardin street, has been given new honors with inclusion of pictures and record of her achievements in "Who's Who in Baton Twirling for 1953."

Mr. and Mrs. James Chandler, Portageville, are parents of a boy born at the Delta Community Hospital yesterday.

12 cases presented in probate court

BENTON — Twelve cases were brought before Probate John H. Sides for the week ending April 27.

Charley Dietz, deceased: probate of will and appointment of executor.

The court ordered that Bill Waltrip and Don Agnew be, and are appointed as, witnesses to the inventory and appraisers to assist the executor in opening and examining papers, money and other property of said deceased in making a true inventory and appraisement of the same.

Della H. Bice, deceased: order of partial distribution.

Come Thomas L. Arnold, duly appointed, qualified and acting executor of estate of Della H. Bice, deceased, and come also First National Bank of Cape Girardeau, trustee, and Trinity Methodist Church of Oran by its trustees and appears to Court that notice has been given of intention to file petition for partial distribution that a settlement was filed as of April 23.

Elsie Hamby, deceased: order allowing attorney fees.

The court, having considered the petition of Kenneth L. Dement for executor's fees and attorney's fees in sum of $250 was allowed.

Jimmie Bass, deceased: affidavit filed:

On April 25 comes Jimmie Lou Carter, custodian for Cindy Bass and Stephen Lynn Bass and presents her affidavit regarding disqualification of judge.

Regina Kay Eason, minor: inventory filed and recorded.

On April 25 comes Edward Elmo Eason guardian of the estate of Regina Kay Eason, minor, and presents his inventory and appraisement in this estate, which is examined, approve filed and recorded.

Regin Kay Eason, minor: report of private sale of real property filed.

On April 25 come Edward Elmo Eason, guardian of the estate of Regina Kay Eason, a minor, and presents his report of private sale "All of lot 11 in block 5 of Prospect Park Addition to the city of Dexter, Stoddard County, being a part of northeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 22 township 25 north, range 10 east and more commonly known as 428 W. Elk St. in the city of Dexter.

Janie Ellen Manz, minor: annual settlement:

Comes Paul A. Menz, guardian of estate, and presents his account for his annual settlement in this estate, wherein he charges himself sum of $28,196.91 and asks credit for disbursement in sum of $13,796.81, leaving a balance due of $14,400.10, which settlement examined, approved order, filed and recorded.

Harry L. Ford, deceased: order to sell personal property.

It is ordered and adjusted the value of one- half interest in partnership between Harry L. Ford Sr. and Lloyd N. Ford as follows, inventory $6,583; fixture, $25,000; cash, $5,000 for a total of $36,583 to be sold on most advantageous terms obtainable at private sale for cash.

Harry W. Uelsmann, deceased: ordered.

It is ordered, adjudged and decreed by the court that Thomas L. Arnold, executor of the estate, is hereby authorized and directed to purchase in a market to mark the grave of Harry W. Uelsmann, deceased, at $115.88.

Harry C. Blanton: deceased: proof of publication of notice of granting letters testamentary filed.

"On April 26 presented to the court proof of not granting letters testamentary in estate of Harry Blanton, deceased, which was published in The Daily Standard, a daily newspaper showing dates of publication of April 5, 12, 19 and 26 which is examined and ordered filed.

Sallie Wainman, deceased: service copy of summons and affidavit of publication filed.

Affidavit of publication in estate of Sallie Wainman is examined and ordered filed.

Carla Jean Mays, minor, order authorizing payment of attorney fee on April 27, the petition of Bernard C. Rice of firm Blanton, Blanton, Rice and Sickal, attorney for co-guardian, requesting payment of attorney fees.

More than 2,500 gallons of water may evaporate from an acre of forest in just one day.

What's the law?

The case of the ungodly caper

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Benny was a totally irreligious person. Consequently, when he went to church, it was to prey. And what he preyed upon was the unguarded donation box. Then one day he got more ambitious. Bypassing the penny- ante donation box, he emptied the church's safe. And while he hauled off quite a bundle of loot, he ultimately got hauled off himself. The police figured out who had pulled the ungodly caper and Benny was arrested and charged with "burglary of a dwelling house."

"We've got three good witnesses who say he did it," the prosecuting attorney told the judge, "and there's no way Benny can weasel out of it."

"I don't care how many witnesses he's got," was Benny's answer. "I still can't be convicted. I was charged with 'burglary of a dwelling house' and, obviously, a church isn't a dewlling house. No one lives in it."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you convict Benny of the ungodly crime?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that under the common law, a church could be the subject of the crime with which Benny was charged. After all, noted the judge, a church is the "dwelling house of Almighty God."

(Based upon a 1964 Maryland Supreme Court Decision)

PARIS OPERA HIRES CAPOBIANCO

PARIS (AP) — Tito Capobianco, who will direct Beverly Sills at the New York City Opera next fall in "Anna Bolena," has been engaged by the Paris Opera.

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from DAVID SHY Rph

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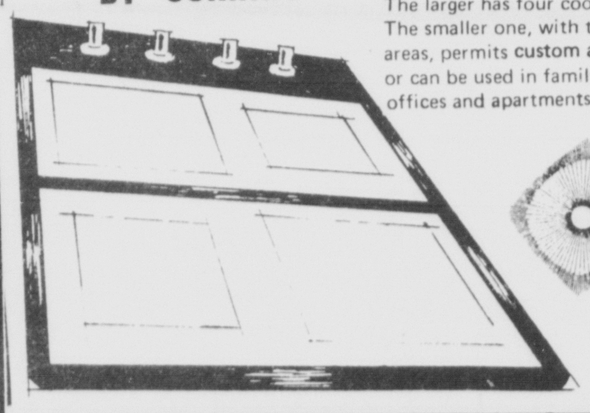

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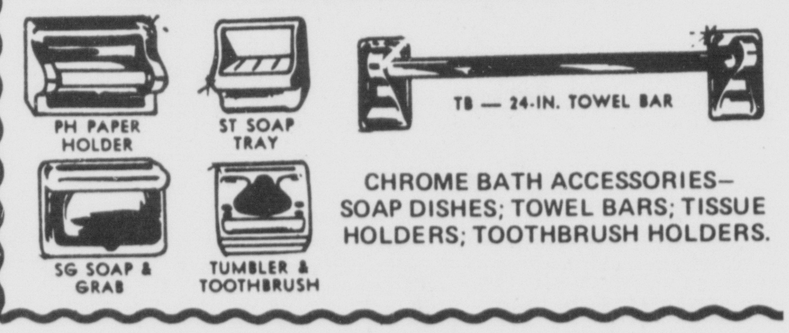

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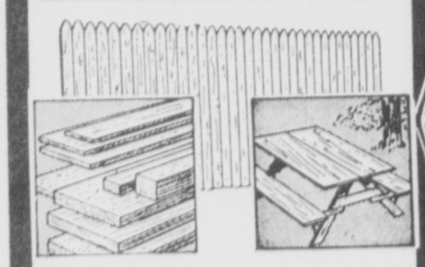

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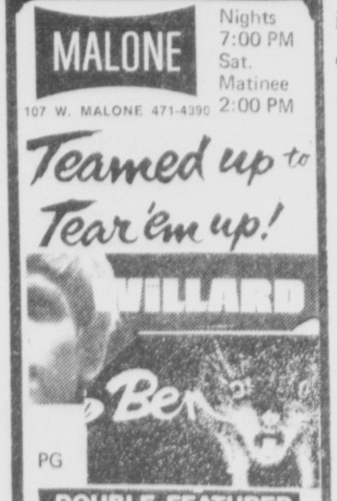

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2. No Right Turn
3. Slippery When Wet
4. Hospital
5. Picnic Table
6. Hiking Trail
7. Telephone
8. Signal Ahead
9. Cattle Crossing
10. Keep Right
11. Hill
12. Camping
13. Merge
14. School Crossing
15. Bike Crossing

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These new "symbol" road signs are replacing the conventional "word" signs that we've been familiar with throughout our driving careers. It's important for every driver to quickly recognize each sign—and understand its meaning. Just as it's important for every driver to take his car in for regular car care maintenance. For maximum performance, safety and operating economy. With minimum harmful exhaust emissions.

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If a car with an automatic transmission starts in all selector positions, what is the cause of the malfunction? What must be done to correct disc brakes that are overly sensitive to light pedal pressure?

In 165 cities throughout the country late this fall, mechanics will be answering similar questions contained in a four-part series of tests. Successful completion of the battery will demonstrate that an individual has the necessary competence and skills to be certified as a General Automobile Mechanic.

The voluntary mechanic certification program is the first project of the National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence. Headquartered in Washington, D.C., the independent, nonprofit body was organized by concerned segments of the vehicle service industry to improve the quality of automobile repairs through testing and educational projects.

The Institute will work with the public government and the service industry to create new approaches, new methods that will help bring into being improved automobile servicing standards and reliable measurements of service competency.

On four consecutive Tuesday evenings, mechanics will take an 80-question, multiple-choice examination on one of the four automobile areas in which a good mechanic should have knowledge.

Those passing all four tests and who have at least two years of automobile work experience will be certified. The recognition certificate will be valid for three years after which time a recertification test will be necessary.

Each test will cost $10 and if the mechanic so chooses he may spread out completion of the battery over a one or two year period. Although he is recognized for successfully completing each part, full certification will not be granted until all four tests have been passed.

The certification examinations were developed by Educational Testing Service, a nationally-known organization which will also administer and score the tests.

The questions do not relate to specific vehicle makes or models — domestic or imported, but focus instead on basic systems. The first covers power plants—a car's basic engine, fuel induction, ignition and exhaust systems. The second asks questions about transmissions, clutches, drive-lines and axles.

Test number three involves suspension steering and brake systems while the final test covers starting and charging systems, basic body, electrical and air-conditioning systems.

Those mechanics who do not pass the tests the first time, may retake an exam when it is again offered six months later. It was emphasized that mechanics who are competent in a given test area should pass the first time. Those who do not will find out in which areas skills are lacking so that they may prepare accordingly for eventual certification.

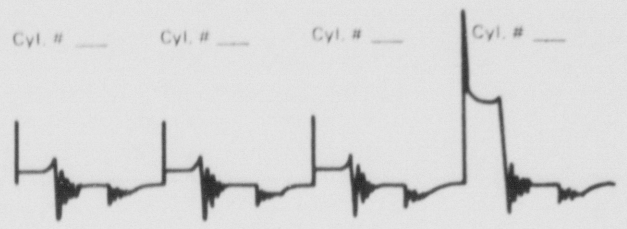
Complete details of the program are contained in a *Bulletin of Information* which may be requested by writing to: Certified Mechanic Program, Educational Testing Service, P.O. Box 2611, Princeton, New Jersey 08580.

7. When the breaker points in an ignition system are badly pitted, what is the first part that should be checked for possible malfunction?

(A) Coil (B) Distributor cap
(C) Ignition switch (D) Distributor condenser

8. Which of the following instruments would a mechanic be most likely to use in performing an exhaust restriction test?

(A) A combustion efficiency tester (B) An air-flow meter
(C) A leakage tester (D) A vacuum gauge



9. Which of the following troubles is indicated in the scope pattern shown above?

(A) Excessive rotor to cap clearance
(B) Excessive secondary resistance
(C) Oil fouled spark plug
(D) Ignition point bounce

10. If the accelerator-pump inlet check ball is accidently left out of a carburetor, which of the following is the most likely result?

Here reproduced from one of the Institute for Automotive Service Excellence manuals are some of the types of questions those who will be taking the tests must cope with in earning certification as a General Automobile Mechanic.

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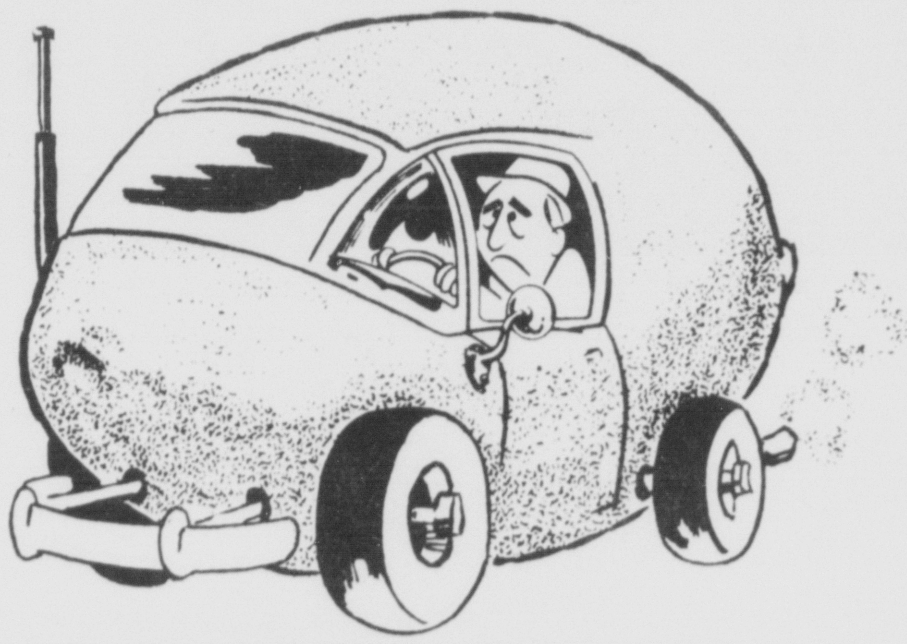

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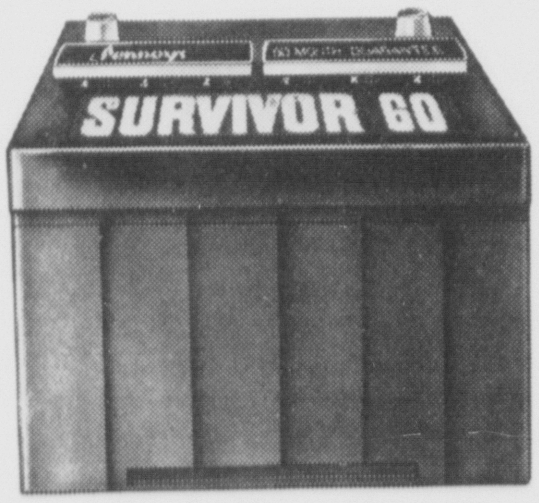

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Changing Spark Plugs Can Save You Gas

Getting better gasoline mileage always has been an attractive proposition to the motorist. Who could argue with the proposition that when gasoline consumption goes down, the bank balance edges up?

Today being stingy with gasoline is more than a matter of dollars and cents. The same factors that affect gas economy also have a strong bearing on reducing exhaust emissions. And there's still another compelling reason to be concerned with gasoline conservation. The world is faced with an impending shortage of petroleum, the source of gasoline.

Key to Saving

According to David L. Walker, Champion Spark Plug Company automotive technical services director, engine condition is the key to gasoline consumption.

Walker, speaking to a group of technicians at Champion's new West Coast Technical Center in Santa Ana, California, reported that untuned engines are wasters of fuel.

He cited results of a three-nation Champion test program that showed an untuned engine (one that hasn't been tuned in more than 10,000 miles of operation) wastes between one and two gallons of gasoline per tankful. Merely replacing worn spark plugs with new ones can save better than a gallon per tankful the tests revealed.

Habits Have Bearing

Driving habits also have a bearing on good gasoline mileage, Walker said.

- **Excessive speed is a notorious waster of fuel. Keeping within the posted speed limits will help save gasoline, not to mention reducing accident dangers.**
- **Keeping a light and steady foot on the gas pedal is also a fuel saver. Jack rabbit starts and sudden acceleration while driving require excessive fuel.**
- **Stay mentally ahead of traffic, "playing" traffic lights and avoiding situation such as tail-gating other cars. Sudden stopping and starting are major causes of wasted gasoline.**
- **Avoid prolonged idling. If you must wait in your car for more than a few seconds, such as at a railroad crossing or for someone to come out of a store, it's more economical to shut off the engine. It also helps cut down on pollution.**
- **Make sure your tire pressure is proper. Underinflated tires, particularly, hurt gas economy.**

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Among the most common reasons for rejection at vehicle inspection stations throughout the country are items affecting visibility. In some areas as high as a 50 percent rejection rate occurs on items such as lights and windshield wiper and washer systems.

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Tune-Ups Most Vital in Coping with Pollution

Progress in Fight for Cleaner Air Calls for Regular Car Maintenance

If you're adept at creating HC, CO and NOx, you may get a good grade in a chemistry class. But you'll be flunking in a more important area, helping protect the nation's environment.

The three chemical designations are the elements of the harmful emissions that are byproducts of fuels that power automobile engines. They are part of the air pollution problem.

HC (or hydrocarbons) is a scientific designation for fuel. The amount of fuel that is unburned and enters the atmosphere through exhaust or vaporization is one element that, when exposed to sunlight, creates smog.

Invisible Gas

Another smog-creating byproduct of combustion is NOx (nitrogen oxide). CO (carbon monoxide) does not create smog but enters the atmosphere as an odorless, tasteless and invisible gas. In enclosed areas, such as the interior of a car, CO can be lethal.

If automotive fuel were burned to 100 per cent efficiency, the byproducts would be H_2O and CO_2. H_2O is water and CO_2 is carbon dioxide, both harmless to the atmosphere.

Fortunately, all signs point to the near-future time when the automobile will no longer be a significant part of the air pollution problem. One indication of this trend is that today, more than 85 per cent of automobile-caused pollution comes from cars built before 1968.

Later-model cars, incorporating anti-pollution devices, have become a minor part of the problem.

In fact cars built today create only 10% of the pollutants as did cars manufactured in the early 1960's.

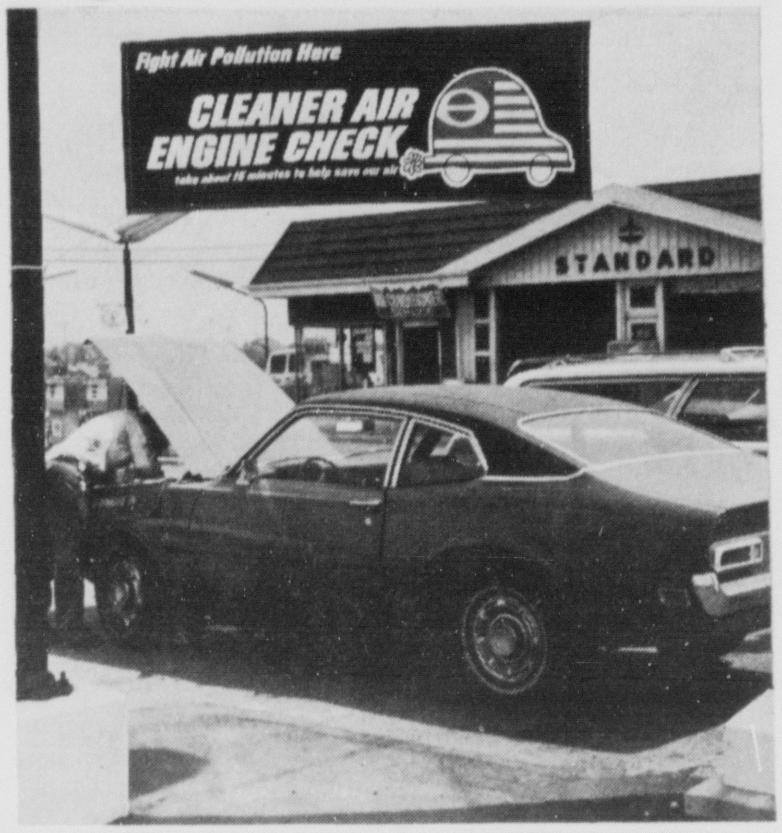
As the older cars are scrapped, the pollution picture in this country is brightening significantly. And as devices such as after-burners or catalytic converters are introduced in a few years, cars will be virtually pollution-free, according to the car manufacturers.

Maintenance Needed

Despite all the efforts and money invested by the car makers, the fight against air pollution will not be totally successful unless the car owner adheres to a schedule of maintenance.

The service most vitally affecting emissions is tune-up.

According to tests conducted by the University of Michigan and the State of New Jersey, a tuned engine produces about 50 per cent fewer pollutants than the same engine in need of tune-up (at idle).



National Check Your Vehicle Emissions Month in April was established in the U.S.A. to remind motorists that engines in good condition do not pollute excessively. Many service facilities like this one offered clean engine checks to help combat air pollution. Mechanics perform a 15-minute check of vital engine components to see whether the car is a polluter or not.

Accidents Traced to Missed Meal

Abnormally low blood-sugar levels, induced by missed meals, may be a direct cause of accidents.

This is the view of Miss M. S. Christian, Head of the Accident and Emergency Department at Wexham Park Hospital, Slough, England. In accident studies she found that several truck drivers who crashed for no apparent reason had extremely low blood-sugar levels.

In three cases, the drivers were either confused, faint or ill but each recovered after a shot of intravenous glucose and a meal. None of them was diabetic and all were young and healthy. The common factor was that each driver had at least 12 hours' starvation.

This new danger was discovered by Miss Christian during a survey she is undertaking of the "unknown factors" in road accidents.

The survey, which will also look into the effects of such factors as tranquilizers and diabetes, includes a question to establish the relationship between the time of the accident and the last meal.

Symptoms associated with low blood-sugar are weakness, drowsiness, dizziness, mental confusion, double vision, aggression and other abnormal behavior. Because symptoms can show at levels not much lower than those after the normal 12 hour overnight fast, anyone undertaking a long journey should not skip a meal.

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Time to Summerize Recreational Vehicles

Removal of All Signs of Winter Recommended as First Step To Roadworthy Operation

"Before making extensive summer use of a recreational vehicle, owners should first make sure it is properly de-winterized," says Mike Radigan, National Director of the Recreational Vehicle Institute. He referred to the process of readying an RV for hot weather use as "summerizing" and said the first step in summerizing is to remove signs of winter.

"Anti-freeze should be drained from the radiator and fresh water should be back-flushed through the cooling system," the RVI head suggests.

"Engine oil should be changed and summer oil used — a new oil filter should be installed. At the same time, it is a good idea to have the entire chassis lubricated.

"It shouldn't be necessary to change transmission fluid or differential oil but these should at least be checked, as should the power steering oil.

Check Spark Plugs

"Master cylinder brake fluid should also be checked."

Other steps toward "summarizing," according to Radigan, include cleaning and gapping (or replacing) spark plugs and points, recharging battery condition), checking and replacing if necessary such items as light bulbs, windshield wiper blades, muffler and tail pipe, springs and shock absorbers.

Radigan also suggested front end alignment checks, inspection of tires and a general underneath check for damage of any kind.

"As for the living quarters, the water storage tank should be thoroughly flushed out to remove any anti-freeze you may have used and to clean out the tank and water lines. Thorough flushing should continue for at least 15 minutes," the RVI director advises.

Look for Leaks

"This is a good time to make sure your pump is working properly and that there are no leaks anywhere in your water system," Radigan advised, suggesting similar treatment for the holding tank.

He emphasized that special attention should be paid to appliances including range, furnace, refrigerator, water heater, etc., and said that gas appliances should be carefully tested for correct pilot flames, in accordance with manufacturers' instructions.

Remember These

"An additional check of all windows, doors, ventilators, cabinets, and a little oil or graphite on noisy or stiff hinges . . . a final check of your interior lights, careful inspection of your hitch and safety chains, and you should be ready for a summer full of fun," Radigan concluded.

HELPFUL HINTS FOR DRIVING

When an engine misses as the car is accelerated but runs fine at light load or idle, the probable reason is that a worn plug may misfire because of increased compression pressure at heavy load.

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When cleaning your windshield, don't force the wiper blades aside. Some of the late model electrically driven wipers can be permanently damaged by forcing them to another position.

Some ignition problems don't show themselves except in wet weather. That's when cracked insulation is most likely to fail. Avoid trouble by having boots and cables inspected when you buy new spark plugs.

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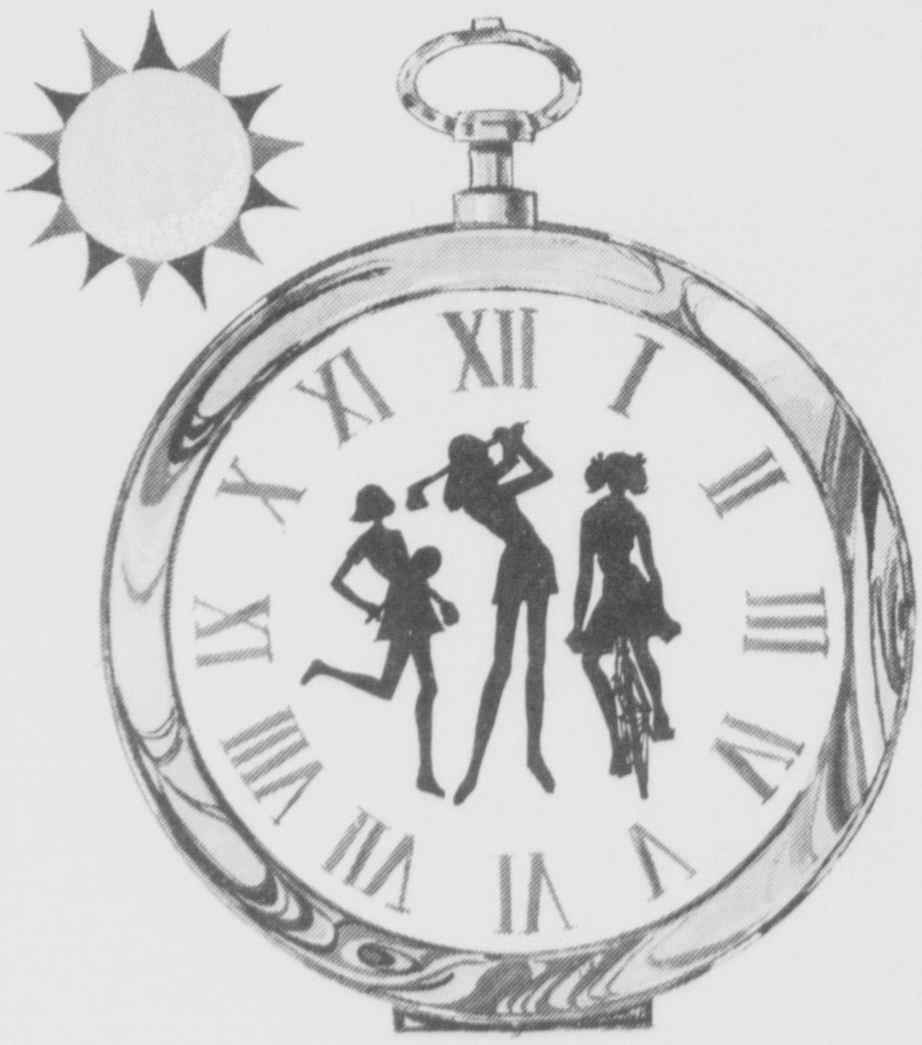

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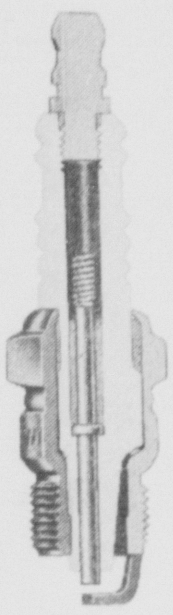
RFI 'Ear' Pollution Ills Becoming Thing of Past; Resistor Plugs are Help

There's air pollution and there's ear pollution.

Both conditions are in part attributable to the automobile. While curing air pollution, caused by excessive harmful emissions, is being brought under control, it still remains an environmental problem.



Fortunately ear pollution in the form of radio signal interference has been eliminated and will not be a problem if proper maintenance is practiced.

According to Champion Spark Plug Company, two major developments have controlled radio interference (RFI). In the past, noise from the automotive ignition system has interfered with radio signals. As a result, radio and television reception in cars and in the home have been interrupted by electrical interference emanating from passing vehicles (much in the way a vacuum cleaner in operation will distort radio and TV reception in the same room).

With the development of resistor-type ignition cables and resistor spark plugs, RFI is virtually eliminated. Cars manufactured today come equipped with the resistor cables. In most new cars, resistor-type spark plugs also are original equipment.

When replacing resistor cables and resistor-type spark plugs, make certain your service man uses RFI-suppressing replacement components. Cables should be replaced, according to one manufacturer, at about 38,000 miles or when cracked or otherwise damaged. Plugs should be replaced at 10,000 miles as part of a tune-up.

That way, you'll be doing your share to make RFI ear pollution a thing of the past.

PSYCHIC PREDICTIONS DURING ESP CONFAB

STAUNTON, Va. (AP) — April 19 isn't a good day for sailing the Atlantic. Psychic David Hoy, personal consultant to Sonny and Cher, says, "On April 19 one of the largest reported icebergs will be sighted in the North Atlantic."

Hoy was speaking at an ESP Conference held at Mary Baldwin College here. He also forecast that President Nixon will visit Cuba within four months and that neither Spiro Agnew nor Ted Kennedy will be nominated for President in 1976.

Adventuresome vacationers who want to take their camper trailers off the beaten path into scenic areas such as the above — with its magnificent view of the Grand Tetons — will do well to make sure their rigs are checked thoroughly before they consider off-road maneuvers.

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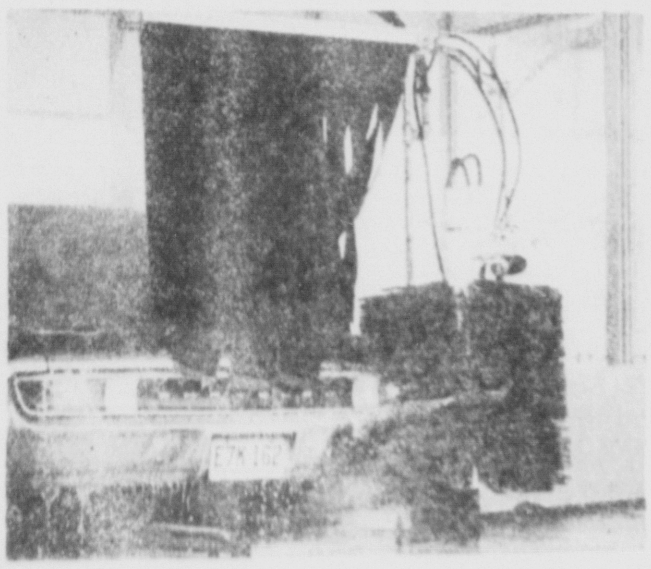

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Automatic Transmissions Make Driving Easy and Pleasurable

By JODY CARR

Other than the self starter, probably nothing has contributed more to driving pleasure than the automatic transmission. As trouble free as this complicated mechanism is, it is not indestructible. There are a few things which can shorten its life.

Jody Carr

For example: a driver stalls his car at a traffic light, finally gets it running again and, with engine roaring, moves his shift lever to "D". Or on a steep upgrade, he is waiting for a red light to turn green. He uses the gas pedal instead of the brake, allowing the engine to hold him in position.

If cars could talk, his would cry!

These are two of the most common abuses to which automatic transmissions are subjected. But there are more.

Have you ever seen someone park by giving the car ahead (or behind) a good solid nudge to make extra space? If the nudged car is in "park," a little gadget inside the transmission can be broken. This happened more than once.

Use your parking brake instead of "park" whenever there is a possibility of being bumped or pushed by another car.

While we're on the subject of "park," NEVER move your shift lever to "park" while the car is in motion. This can have the same unfortunate result as being bumped.

Some drivers manage to put their cars in reverse while they are going forward. Although the automatic transmission has a special locking device to prevent this from happening, who knows if the device is working?

The jar when a wheel suddenly contacts dry surface after spinning fast on ice can be disastrous to a transmission.

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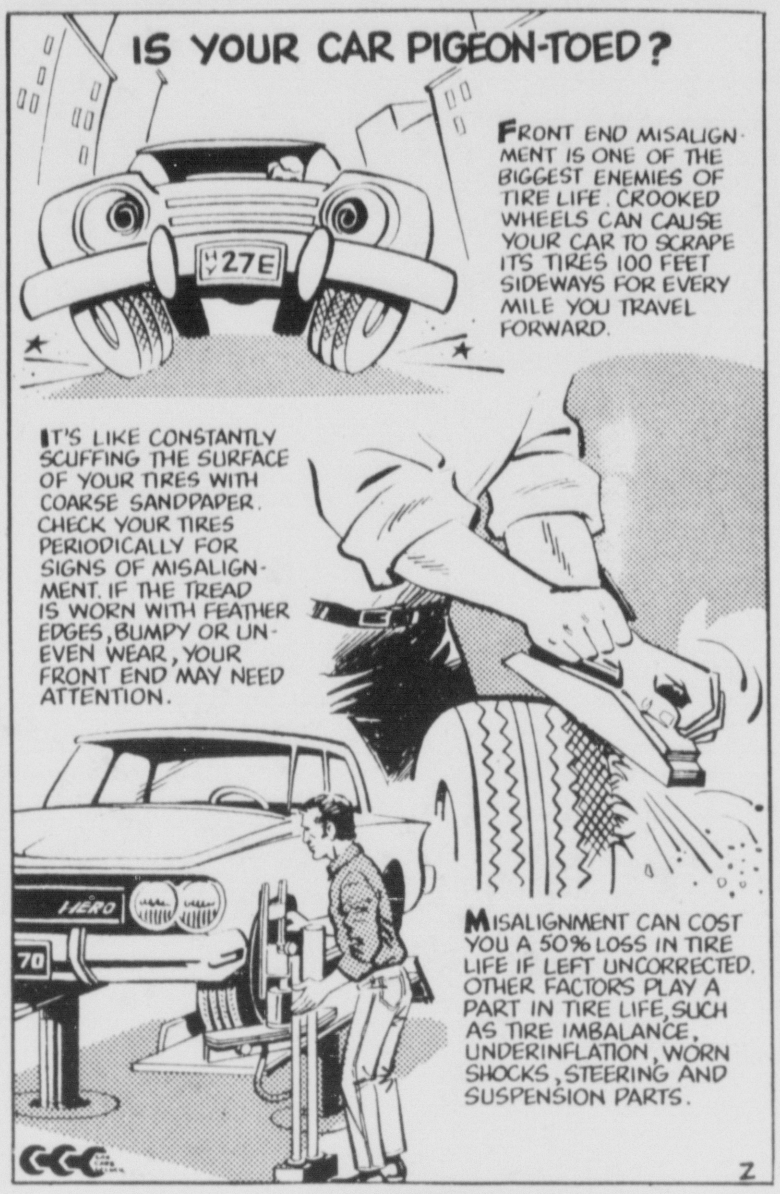

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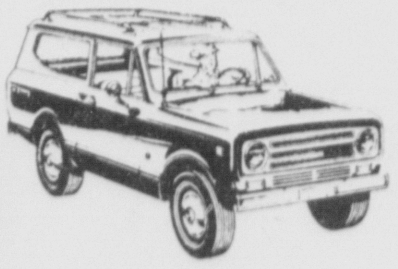

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It's a lamentable fact that too many motorists will expect a thoroughbred's performance from a car that is, in fact, more like a candidate for the Swayback Derby.

Study after study shows that in critical safety and performance areas, the average car is not equipped to handle the long, hard driving most vacation trips require.

Why is this so? Why do John and Jane Owner allow their cars to deteriorate?

Champion Spark Plug Company recently conducted a survey which sought to determine the reasons for tune-up neglect. While the survey concentrated on tune-up, it is probable that the rationalizations given for not buying needed tune-up apply to other maintenance musts as well.

The major reasons cited were:
My car is running fine just the way it is.
I don't have time.
I don't have the money.

As plausible as these reasons may have seemed to the motorists, they often defy either fact or logic (or both).

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Consider these facts.

Are most cars running fine just the way they are? Not according to compulsory vehicle check lanes or private diagnostic clinics.

More than half the cars inspected at these facilities show dangerous safety and operational defects, many of them unknown to the car owner.

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Is "I don't have time" a valid excuse?

Certainly, most people live busy, active lives. But a busy person soon learns that to accomplish what he must, he has to schedule activities.

Cleaner Engines Call For Better Cooling

In designing anti-emission systems to help reduce air pollution, car manufacturers are installing hotter-running engines in today's vehicles. Therefore, it has become even more critical that cooling systems be in top condition to handle the higher engine temperatures.

This means that the cooling system should be checked twice a year for the following:

Leak-free radiator; soundness of all hoses and connections; properly operating thermostat; radiator cap is sealing efficiently; water pump is working, and coolant levels are normal.

Proper mixture of coolant, for both summer and winter operation, is about 50 per cent ethylene glycol-type anti-freeze and 50 per cent water. This so-called permanent-type anti-freeze should be replaced every two years or 30,000 miles, which ever comes first.

While on the subject of anti-freeze, the "self-sealing" variety that claims it can stop radiator leaks offers only a temporary solution to a leak problem. Containing, generally, an asbestos-type compound, the "leak-proof" anti-freeze is effective only for a short time. Once revealed, the leak should be located and repaired by a competent auto service technician.

Habits Have Bearing

Driving habits also have a bearing on good gasoline mileage, Walker said.

- **Excessive speed is a notorious waster of fuel. Keeping within the posted speed limits will help save gasoline, not to mention reducing accident dangers.**
- **Keeping a light and steady foot on the gas pedal is also a fuel saver. Jack rabbit starts and sudden acceleration while driving require excessive fuel.**

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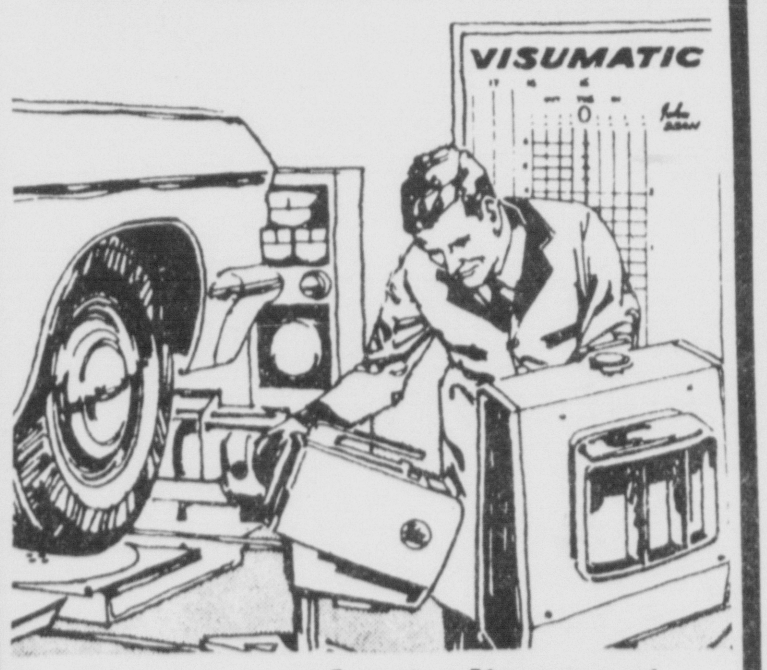

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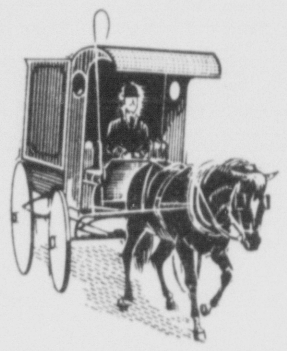

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Seven Points Cited as Way To Cope with Brake Trouble

Powered or unpowered, drum or disc, your car's brakes are one of the simplest systems in your car and one of the most critical to your safety. So an understanding of the following seven common points of failure is vital, says the Canadian Safety Council.

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1. Fade is one of the most common problems.

Although cheap or defective linings, fluid or drums may be at fault, the usual cause of fade is simply overheating from severe service. Three things can happen, any of which can cause partial or total brake failure. If two or three happen simultaneously, you have very little hope of stopping your car.

FIRST, excessive heat can temporarily weaken the drum and cause it to distort from the pressure of the shoes inside it. This may allow excessive movement of the shoes and cause the pedal to go all the way to the floor.

SECOND, heat may cause the brake fluid to boil and become compressible; this would also allow the pedal to go to the floor.

FINALLY and most commonly, heat glazes the lining, giving it an almost liquid coating that acts as a lubricant, preventing the buildup of friction necessary to stop the car.

In a minor case, all the cure that's needed is time—15 to 30 minutes at the most — to allow the brake parts to cool. When they do, they will operate normally if they have not been damaged by excessive heat. The trick is to recognize the onset of brake fade and get the car stopped before it gets worse.

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2. When the brakes don't take hold until the pedal almost touches the floor, this is known as excessive pedal travel and is a serious problem.

If not corrected, it will lead to a total brake failure.

A simple adjustment may cure the problem, but a complete system check is called for because there may be a leak or other critical hydraulic defect. If the pedal goes all the way to the floor, do not attempt to drive; have your car towed to a repair shop.

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3. Spongy pedal is usually caused by air getting into the hydraulic system when the fluid level is low.

Correction may require only a simple "bleeding" job that usually costs a few dollars for an hour's labor. But there could also be a serious mechanical failure; get a thorough inspection.

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4. Wheel pull or failure of the car to stop in a straight line can result from a defective brake or simple maladjustment.

It can also be caused by excessive wear somewhere in the steering system or an oil leak from an axle.

But don't treat it as an annoyance; it will probably get worse — perhaps suddenly — and it could easily cause you to lose control of your car. Have it looked at right away.

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5. Squeal sometimes comes from certain brands of extra-hard brake linings.

It's annoying, but not necessarily a danger sign. On the other hand, the noise may result from a mechanical malfunction or worn lining.

Excessive or sudden new brake squeal calls for a checkup.

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6. Drag may be caused by many things, but the scraping sound is a sure sign that something is wrong.

To neglect dragging brakes (partly engaged) will not only allow them to ruin themselves but will inevitably lead to a total failure.

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7. Pulsation or chatter, a vibrating sensation you may feel at the pedal or notice at the wheel, comes from a loose support plate or from a broken or out-of-round drum.

It is usually a minor problem to correct but it needs immediate attention.

Keep this in mind about brakes: when defective they never get better of their own accord; they only get worse. And when a defect shows up, total failure may be only seconds away.

Who said, "I don't have the money"?

Few of us have all the money we need. But a few dollars spent on preventive maintenance can save a lot of dollars spent on corrective maintenance. A squirt of lubricant often can forestall the breakdown of an expensive part.

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Certainly, there are reasons and excuses for everything. But you've invested too much money in your car to allow it to deteriorate. And you'll be investing too much hard-earned time and money on your vacation to let it be spoiled by a malfunctioning car.

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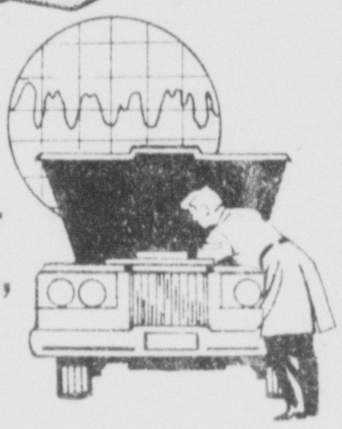

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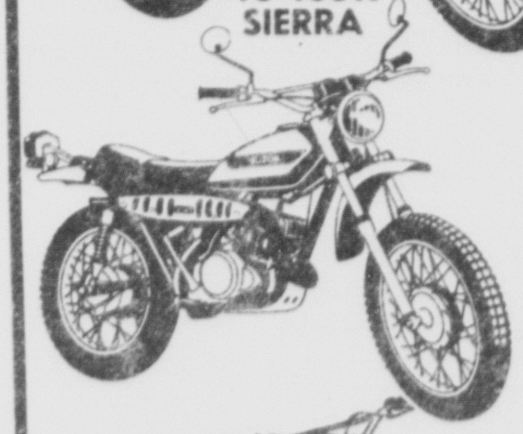

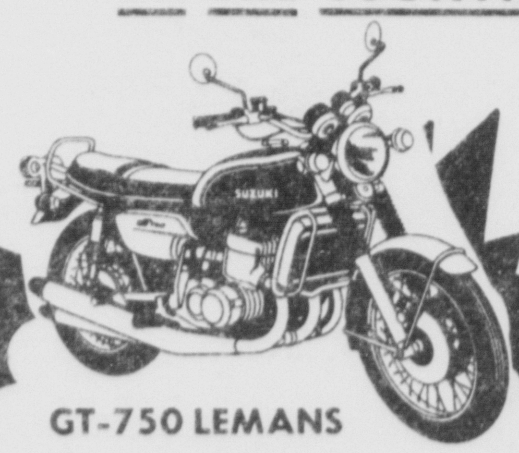

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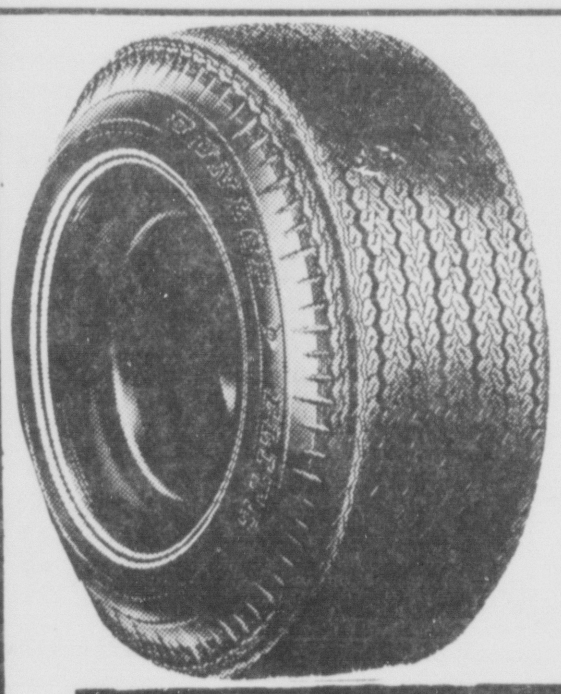

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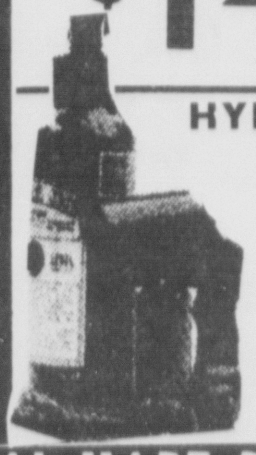

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How to Get Maximum Safe Miles Out of Tires, Told by Expert

By RODGER WARD

I've learned a lot about tires and what makes them last longer, perform better, thanks to my years as a race car driver and professional tire tester. Now that I have a performance safety tire on the market with my name on it I'm even more interested in seeing that motorists everywhere get the right facts on prolonging tire life.

The tricks to getting those extra miles of tire life aren't all connected solely with the condition or quality of the tires installed on a car however. Improved driving techniques will help extend tire life, as will taking care of your car's tires from time to time. I have a list of seven things to do that I know will prolong the life of your tires.

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WATCH THAT INFLATION: Perhaps the greatest single determining factor in tire mileage is the air pressure at which tires are run. Check the owner's manual for your car — this is where the load range data will be useful — and follow the recommended air pressure for the tires you now use.

The Department of Transportation estimates that some 33 million tires a year are destroyed by underinflation. This represents a loss of some $750 million to car owners. So remember, the few minutes a simple tire pressure check takes will save you money.

If you get a tire that is larger than normally called for on a given car, this is all right — as long as the wheel rim will accept the larger tire. Undersized tires could fail you in a stress situation. An undersized tire will not safely carry the weight of your car and its payload.

Another point about tire sizes. Be sure that the same tire sizes are in service on the same axle.

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CUTS, BRUISES AND BUBBLES: Tires that have sustained actual damage are a serious safety hazard. A sidewall cut can let go when it's least expected, sometimes with disastrous results. So for safety's sake check your tires for cuts, bruises and bubbles.

This kind of checking must be done with the tire free of the road, so that it can be spun and checked on the entire circumference of the tread as well as the sidewall that faces into the car. If the tire rubber is abraded over a considerable distance, and the tire looks as though it may be damaged, there's only one thing to do. Have the tire removed and the inside checked for possible cord damage.

Bubbles that indicate rubber layer separation are cause for immediate replacement also. A young tire with a sidewall bubble should be taken back to the point of purchase for warranty consideration.

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SUSPENSION ADJUSTMENTS CRITICAL TOO: Proper alignment of a car's front-end will help to get more miles out of a set of tires. And if you rotate tires regularly, accurate front-end alignment will improve the wear of all road tires.

Another point to remember is that shock absorbers also should be checked regularly for effectiveness and correct operation. If the shocks are weak they won't keep those tires on the road and frequent bouncing impact will take its toll in shortened tire life.

High-mileage cars should have their ball joints checked since wear of these components also can lead to rapid tire wear. Maintaining regular wheel balance is another key to longer tire life. The wheels should be balanced according to the car maker's suggestions, or when you feel any unusual minor vibration in the chassis or steering.

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STARTS, STOPS, CORNERS AND CURBS: Even if you're in a hurry, you should take your time when pulling away from a stop. On the other side of the coin, you should never as a habit use the panic stop, or other such hard-driving techniques as late breaking, unless you absolutely must as an evasive maneuver.

Taking corners and curves at high speeds is one of the best ways I know to reduce tire mileage. When your car builds up a lot of forward momentum, and you ask the tires to absorb the sideways force of a quick turn, you're burning rubber.

Ask almost any driver how he should prep his tires before doing any prolonged high-speed driving and he'll tell you to take out some air. And he'd be wrong. You're supposed to add air — about 4 psi over normal, in fact.

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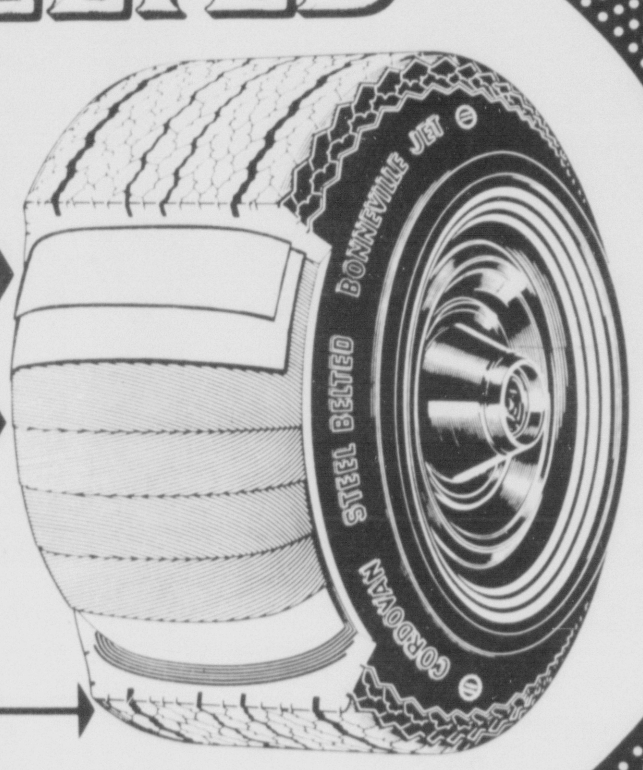

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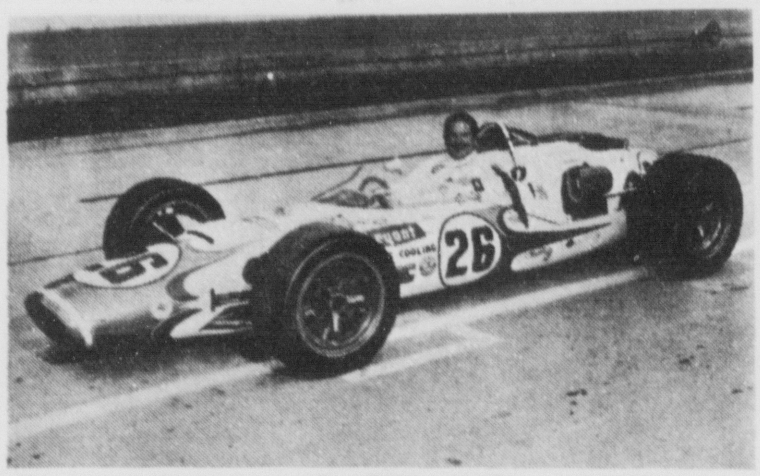

Winner of the Indianapolis '500' in 1959 and 1962, Rodger Ward knows how to get every safe mile possible out of tires. His advice to car owners is presented in the accompanying article. This photo was taken in 1966, Ward's last year in competitive racing.

ADVICE TO WOMEN who DRIVE... and MEN, Too...

from DeDe Benson... a woman who does

Dear DeDe:

My husband is a commercial pilot and understandably is very finicky about the condition of his plane. But what drives me batty is that he is also a dingbat when it comes to our car. We are always late wherever we go because Bob insists on performing what he calls a "pre-flight check" before he gets into the car. He checks the tires, the wipers, the oil and water and a dozen other items before he'll even move out of the driveway. I'm all for safety but don't you think he's carrying this thing too far?

Mrs. R.W.
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. R.W.:

Perhaps your husband is carrying things too far. But, if he is, at least he's on the side of the angels. (A good place for a pilot to be.) Too many motorists pay no attention to fundamentals like proper tire pressure, oil levels, good wipers and other basics necessary for trouble-free performance. At best, neglect can lead to premature deterioration of the car. At worst, carelessness can lead to a serious accident. Bear with your husband's carefulness. He wants to fly now and drive later in a safe manner.

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Dear DeDe:

Will you please help me out of a tight spot at home? I just met Jeff and he's the kind of guy I could get serious over. There's only one trouble. Jeff has his heart set on being a race driver. When my parents heard that, they blew their stacks and forbade me to see Jeff again. Now, I've driven with him a time of the accident and he's a lot safer driver than some of the boys my parents approve of. How can I convince my parents to let me go out with Jeff?

Wrong Track Winnie
Mobile, Alabama

Dear Winnie:

You are right in one respect. Successful race drivers are the safest drivers in the world. They must adhere to the rules of the road and have their cars in the best possible condition to be successful. Why not arrange for a double date with your parents with Jeff driving. Once they see he's a better bet at the steering wheel than the average driver, you two may reach the winner's circle together.

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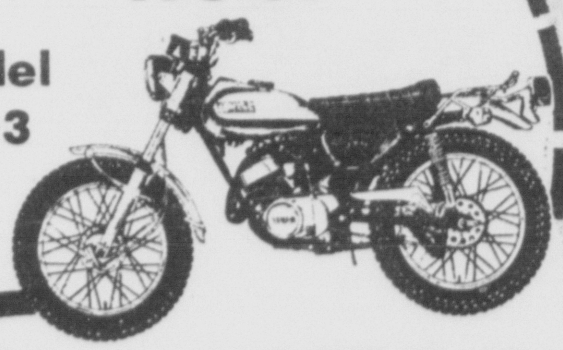

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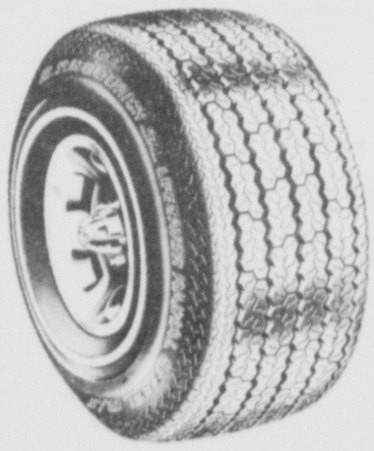

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Mysteries of Single-Car Accidents

One of the fastest growing and most mysterious fatal accident statistics is the single car accident. It results when, for some undetermined reason, a car leaves the road and strikes a fixed object.

Since victims of the single car accident cannot explain what happened, causes of the tragedy are difficult to determine.

According to some traffic experts, a possible reason for at least some of the single car fatalities could be worn shock absorbers. When shocks are worn, a panic stop, possibly caused by an animal darting onto the roadway, could result in the car's front wheels lifting off the road's surface. This action could result in loss of control by the driver.

Also, when shocks are defective, taking a curve at high speeds could mean loss of control.

The average effective life of shock absorbers is about two years or 24,000 miles of driving. Beyond that point, shocks generally lose effectiveness and pose a safety hazard.

Therefore, the motorist is advised to have the condition of the shocks checked routinely when the car is on the hoist for an oil change, lube job, wheel alignment or similar service.

Motorists are also advised to match up the replacement shocks with the type of driving they do. In over-the-road driving with normal loads, regular shocks generally suffice. However, with frequent driving over rough roads and at high speeds, a heavy duty shock may be needed. Motorists who frequently haul trailers or other heavy loads may need load leveler stabilizing units.

If front-end sag due to worn springs is evident, front end stabilizing units are recommended.

Signs of worn shock absorbers include a bobbing of the car after a stop, rough riding characteristics and instability on curves.

DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that if you drive a car an average of 10,000 miles per year its spark plugs have probably fired some 15 million times during that period? That's why they should be serviced at 5,000 miles and replaced at 10,000 miles.

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But you may be alone — all alone — if your car breaks down in the boondocks. Minimize this danger by properly servicing and equipping your car before hooking up that trailer.

Here are some things to be checked:

☐ **BRAKES. Is the lining thick enough for a season of driving? Are components completely leak-free? Is pedal pressure solid without sponginess and is fluid up to the mark?**

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☐ **TRANSMISSION. Is fluid level correct? Does the car shift at correct speeds without lag or erratic performance? Are "U" joints quiet?**

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☐ **TIRES. Are treads wearing evenly? Any cracks or cuts in the tread or sidewalls? Adequate size for load? More than 1/16" of tread left?**

☐ **COOLING SYSTEM. If it has been a year or more since the last cooling system service, it's a good idea to have the system flushed out and replace the anti-freeze coolant. A 50% solution is recommended. This will assure a margin of safety in terms of boiling protection. Are hoses and fittings leak-free? No sponginess? Are fanbelts tight and in good condition? Are thermostat and water pump working properly?**

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☐ **LIGHTS. All operative, including signal lights? Tail light lenses in good condition? Extra fuses in the glovebox?**

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☐ **SHOCK ABSORBERS & SUSPENSION. Any leakage from the shocks? Springs sagging from old age?**

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☐ **WHEEL ALIGNMENT. Had it checked lately?**

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☐ **ENGINE. Before an extended drive, the engine should be tuned. This is especially important under heavier load conditions when you need all the power you can get. Check the mileage since your last lube and oil and filter change, too.**

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